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121 MEN FOR MONDAY

THAT MANY SUMMONED TO APPEAR FOR EXAMINATION.

ANOTHER CALL FOR 121

Will Be Made Today for Next Tuesday —Several Were Examined Today By the Board.

The exemption board made public today the names of men called for examination for next Monday. The order numbers of these men are from 557 to 678. Another list of numbers of men from 679 to 800 will be called for next Tuesday.

The examination of men from order number 426 to number 556 will be held Saturday.

Probably another 125 men will be called for next Wednesday by the board tomorrow, as it is expected it will take nearly 1,000 men to secure the county's quota.

Examination was held today of several men. Dale E. Bellows of Maryville, who was summoned to appear for examination Saturday was accepted by the board today. Mr. Bellows filed claims of exemption. Others who passed today were: Maurice S. Thompson, Chester A. Wilson and William Edward Bosch. Fred D. Bellows of Maryville was exempted on account of being under weight, and also Joseph Clyde Creech of Hopkins and Clifford M. Lyle of Maryville.

Harry T. Wilson of Burlington Junction was accepted by the board this afternoon. Mr. Wilson was to have appeared next Monday but as he intends to attend the Iowa State fair at Des Moines he took the examination today.

The men called for examination Monday are as follows:

1024—Boies Campbell Malone, Burlington Junction.
1291—Charles Andrew Crandall, Barnard.
871 — Walter Wood Worthington, Bolckow.
1341—Fowler Benjamin Hamilton, Elmo.
1556—Loren L. Pfeiffer, Skidmore.
2159—Charles Nicholas Leeper, Barnard.
2212—Fred Robert Wolfers, Maryville
1043—James Robert House, Barnard.
1606—Harlan D. Wells, Hopkins.
1934—Harley Harrison Damewood, Braddyville, Ia.
71—Virgil Kendrich Belcher, Maryville.
1520—Ira Crawford, Guilford.
2137—Blaine Logan, Skidmore.
1972—Charles Walter Wiles, Maryville.
1690—Homer Dwight Lawler, Sheridan.
1156—Robert Harold Groppe, Maryville.
1393—John Thomas Neal, Conception Junction.
1593—Roy Samuel Gingrich, Maryville.
1850—Carl Harlon Kissinger, Maryville.
2013—Jimmie E. Thrasher, Barnard.
555—Valentine Walter Conley, Maryville.
978—William Arnold Maxwell, Pickering.
1260—Louis Arlington Strader, Barnard.
506—Harry A. Bailey, Quitman.
2221—John Franklin Godsey, Hopkins.
1588—Ray Blanton, Parnell.
1591—Calvin Basil David, Burlington Junction.
1909—Ephrim Russel Boham, Barnard.
1686—Glenn A. Hull, Quitman.
2058—Omar Curtis Wallace, Maryville.
1391—Walter Emmett Lavelle, Maryville.
1272—Carlyle Watson Huston, Elmo.
1525—Jackson Ed. Holt, Maryville.
877—Rollie Ferman Cooper, Sheridan.
435—Harry Turner Wilson, Burlington Junction.
2096—Lewis Andrew Neidel, Maryville.
681—Austin M. McQuinn, Conception Junction.

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COAL PRICES ARE FIXED

President Orders Regulation That Will Fix the Charges at Every Coal Mine.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Anthracite coal dealers may be on the watch for government action similar to that taken for bituminous coal situation intimated from the White House today.

Bituminous coal prices were fixed by President Wilson last night for every mine in the United States. The next step in coal control, a White House announcement said, will be to fix the price to be charged by middlemen and retailers.

The prices are set on cost of production, estimates furnished by the federal trade commission after months of exhaustive investigation. The country is divided into twenty mine districts and every producer in a district will market his output at the same price.

The president named no agency to carry out the provisions of his order, but is expected to appoint soon a coal administrator, who will be given entire control of the coal industry.

The cost of mine run coal at the mine in Missouri was fixed at $2.70 and at $2.55 in Kansas.

THE ROAD DRAG FUNDS

Inter-County Seat Highways Residents Should Report Failure to Have Road Properly Dragged.

The State Highway Board makes a direct appeal through the columns of this paper to our citizens who reside along inter-county seat highways to report any failure on the part of road drag commissioners to have their road properly dragged or otherwise improved. The sum of $15 per mile per year has been appropriated out of the state highways in Missouri. There are more than 11,000 miles of approved inter-county seat roads, but in many counties the money appropriated for a specific road has been used by the commission to drag or otherwise improve some stretch of favored roadway in the county.

"This practice must be stopped," declared A. C. McKibbin, Secretary of the State Highway Board, in a letter forwarded to all road drag commissioners this week. The abuse of the system is illustrated by reciting the action of the road drag commission in a county south of the river, where a sum of more than $800 appropriated in four years for a certain road was used by the commission in a different section of the county. If any of the inter-county seat roads in this county have been neglected in the manner indicated, it is the duty of residents thereon to report the matter direct to the State Highway Board.

BELLOWS CATTLE TO FAIR

Twelve Shorthorns Will Be Shown at Des Moines—Caldwell & Son to Send Aberdeen-Angus.

Bellows Bros. are shipping today two car loads of Shorthorn cattle to the Iowa State Fair at Des Moines, which opens Saturday. There are twelve show cattle in the shipment. Fred Bellows accompanied the shipment to Des Moines. Charles D. Bellows and Dale Bellows will go to Des Moines Saturday. In addition to making the Des Moines fair, Bellows Bros. will show at Kansas City and Chicago this fall.

C. D. Caldwell & Son of Burlington Junction are also shipping two car loads of Aberdeen-Angus cattle to Des Moines today for the fair.

LEONARD CHILD ADOPTED

By Her Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pike—Child Was Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leonard.

Papers for the adoption of Wilma Esther Leonard, two-years-old, and the child of Floyd E. Leonard and Laura Pearl Leonard were filed in probate court today by Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pike, of College Springs, Ia., Leonard killed his wife and ended his own life at Elmo on Sunday, August 12. Mr. Pike was a brother of Mrs. Leonard.

Dora E. Linville was appointed administratrix of the estate of Daniel B. Linville, who died July 9, 1917.

MANY CASES FILED

AS IT IS THE LAST WEEK OF SERVICE FOR SEPTEMBER TERM.

2 DIVORCE SUITS TODAY

Also Suit to Set Aside Deed Filed Today for This Term of Court—Which Convenes Sept. 24.

This is the last week of service for all cases except on notes and accounts for the September term of circuit court which convenes Monday, Sept. 24. Several cases are being filed this week.

Two divorce cases and a suit to set aside a deed were filed today.

Blanche Overmier brought suit against Lawrence Overmier for divorce, alleging indignities and abandonment. The petition states that they were married in Iowa on Sept. 4, 1900, and lived together until Oct., 1914. A decree of divorce and the care and custody of four minor children, Della May, Esther Marie, Blanche, Margaret and Ruth Maxine Overmier are prayed for. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Ovelia Geneva Teel, 17 years old, and by her next friend, Samuel J. Cummings, brought suit for divorce against Claude Marion Teel on the grounds of indignities and alleging that the defendant carried rat poison in his pocket and put some into the food. The petition states that they were married in Daviess county, Mo., on February 28, 1916, and lived together until May 29, that year. The petition claims the defendant is worth $1,000 and received an income of about $1,000 a year and as the plaintiff is without means of support, maintenance money is asked for. The care and custody of one minor child is also asked for. Fred Harvey is the attorney for the plaintiff.

A suit to set aside a deed was filed by Elizabeth Judy against Georgia Masters. The petition states that the plaintiff was the owner of property in Maryville valued at $1,000 and in consideration of the defendant furnishing her home, a deed to the property was made out to the defendant. The deed was filed for record but was never delivered to defendant as the petition alleged that the defendant refused to furnish her a home. E. G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff.

PLANS SONG FESTIVAL

One This Fall With Representatives From Every Community in the County—Singing Popular.

Community singing will be a feature of the weekly band concert tomorrow night with Marcus Neilsen as leader. Neilsen expresses himself as well pleased with his efforts in this enterprise, as each week finds more enthusiastic singers gathered around the band stand. Maryville people have entered into the spirit of this manner of expression and community singing has come to stay.

A great Song Festival is planned for the fall, when representatives from every community in the county will gather together and thousands of voices will be heard.

Community singing is not a new feature to the world in general, but is being revived in the United States. We refer to its growing popularity in many communities — in Kansas City, where thirty-five voices were heard when it was first attempted and where, now, one thousand people meet to sing.

FOURTH NEEDS 125 MEN

A Number Were Rejected in Physical Examinations Given at Camp Clark at Nevada.

The Fourth Regiment is in need of 125 men as a result of rejections upon the final physical examination given at Camp Clark at Nevada. Young men of this county who wish to join units of the Fourth may do so by applying at the regular army recruiting station in St. Joseph.

Men drawn in the army draft may enlist in the Fourth regiment if they have not yet been summoned to appear before the exemption board. If a man has been called—and by that is meant if his name has been posted by the board—he now has the privilege of enlisting.

Miss Ethel Montz of Bedford, Ia., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark.

PROGRAM IS READY

FOR COUNTY TEACHERS' MEETING, AUG. 31 AND SEPT. 1.

TO PLAN SCHOOL WORK

Every Teacher in County is Required to Attend—W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City, on Program.

A two-days teachers' meeting of the teachers of the county will be held Friday and Saturday, August 31 and September 1, at the High school building, to plan for the school work for this year. It is the duty of every teacher of the county to attend.

W. M. Oakerson of the State Department of Education at Jefferson City, President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school and Superintendent J. M. McDonald are some of the speakers.

The following is the program as announced today by County Superintendent Bert Cooper:

Friday Forenoon.

10:00—Roll call.
10:15—Opening exercises.
10:30—Announcements.
10:45—Work to be done this year. General discussion of State Course of Study and County Outline.
12:00—Noon.

Afternoon.

1:30—Roll call.

Section 1—For all rural grade teachers.

"The Daily Program," Bessie Nicholson.

"Text Books, Supplementary Books, and Materials Needed," Margaret Heffern.

2:00—"Work to be Done in Abriculture," W. H. Burr.

"Correlation of Agriculture With Other Subjects," Ruby Ruddell.

"Club Work," Prof. Earl Richards.

3:30—Nodaway County Agriculture and Domestic Science Conteste," Wesley Baker.

3:45—"Athletics in the Grades and the Spring Meets," E. R. Adams.

3:45—Section 2—"For High School Teachers," Supt. J. M. McDonald, chairman.

"Responsibility of all High School Teachers for the English used by their Pupils," Dr. S. E. Davis, State Normal.

"The Junior High School," Supt. M. J. Wixen, Bethany, Mo.

"Inter-High School Athletics," Prof. Ralph McClintock.

"Laboratory Work and Note Books," Supt. J. N. Geyer.

"Helping High School Students to Study," Mrs. Etchison.

Saturday Forenoon.

9:00—Opening exercises.
Roll call.
Georgraphy — "B" Class, Maude Whitehead.
Geography—"A" Class, Mary Halasey.
9:45—"Teaching of Language and Grammar," Beulah Russell.
10:00—Address, W. M. Oakerson, State Department of Education.
11:00—Address, Pres. Ira Richardson.
11:45—Plans for Improvement of Physical Conditions in Schools.

Afternoon.

1:30—Roll call.
1:45—"Teaching of Reading by 'The Easy Road' Method (Our Newly Adopted Reader), J. W. Carnahan.
2:30—Announcements.
2:45—County Superintendent in office for interviews.

ROOSEVELT TO RUSSIA?

Colonel Was Aversed to Talking Today of the Report From Washington.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 22.—Col. Roosevelt was adversed to talking today of the report from Washington that official recommendation had been made by the government that he be placed at the head of 100,000 soldiers of the regular army to assist General Korniloff to drive the Austrian-Germans back. "I know nothing of it and have no comment to make," was all the Colonel said.

Mrs. W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City arrived this morning for a visit with her father, G. A. Hartman and family. Mr. Oakerson will arrive next week to join Mrs. Oakerson for a several day's stay.

Miss Bonnie Hickman went to Gilman City this morning to visit for several days with Misses Mattie Clayton and Freida Schaffer.

"YOU'RE KIND OF SLOW, BUT I'M STILL BANKING ON YOU."

—Donnell in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

22 MORE CERTIFIED

MAKES 122 MEN WHO HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED FOR DRAFT ARMY.

UP TO DISTRICT BOARD

Several Filed Claims With That Board —100 More are Needed to Fill the County's Quota.

Twenty-two men were certified by the local exemption board to the district board at Kansas City as accepted for the draft army. This makes 122 men who have been certified to the board as ninety men accepted last week was announced at that time. One hundred more men are needed to fill the county's quota.

The board still has thirteen claims for discharge to act on. Several of the accepted men have filed claims with the district board.

The following are those certified today:

John Joseph Zirfas, Clyde.
Gay Hills Gross, Maryville.
James N. Hughes, Skidmore.
Leo B. Knox, Maryville.
Arch L. Carter, Maryville.
Roy Birkenholz, Parnell.
Joshua Ward Stevenson, Graham.
Hobart F. Bledsoe, Guilford.
Glenn Dee Ulmer, Hopkins.
Garland O. Headrick, Burlington Junction.
Lester Swearengen, Conception Junction.
Ruben A. Hall, Skidmore.
Valentine F. Miller, Graham.
Alphonso Stephen Bradley, Hopkins.
Charles Teeters, Parnell.
James Shelton Evans, Maryville.
James E. Meek, Burlington Junction.
Floyd Aloysius Roseler, Ravenwood.
Charles Ira Juhl, Clyde.
Thomas Roy Teaney, Ravenwood.
Emmett Franklin Wilder, Hopkins.
Edward D. Kennedy, Guilford.

ARE TAKING EXAMINATIONS

Fred Vandersloot and Verne Pickens are Seeking Employment in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandersloot, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Vandersloot's uncle, Robert Yeaman, southwest of Maryville, since their marriage Saturday night, drove to St. Joseph yesterday afternoon. Mr. Vandersloot and Verne Pickens, who accompanied them, will take the civil service examination being given today, Thursday and Friday for employment in the Philippine Islands. Mr. and Mrs. Vandersloot will leave the latter part of the week in their car for Joplin, where they will visit with Mrs. Vandersloot's brother, Homer Shipps, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanna of Clearmont were in Maryville on business yesterday.

RUSSIAN REPORTS ALARMING

The State Department Refused to Discuss Them, Stating They Had No Information.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Decidedly alarming reports concerning conditions of Russia widely circulated here today ranged from stories that the government will absolutely be overthrown to others and that serious rioting has broken out in many of the larger Russian cities. Secretary of State Lansing refused to discuss the report and said the state department had no information concerning them. The Russian embassy had no news.

SUES E. C. CULP FOR $3,600

Wilbert Reese Alleges He Worked Twelve Years for Culp and Didn't Receive Any Money.

Wilbert Reese has brought suit against E. C. Culp for $3,600 alleging that amount is due him for farm work for twelve years' work as a farm hand. The petition claims Reese was hired by Culp in December, 1902, as a farm hand at a salary of $300 a year and he continued in his employ until December, 1914. The petition states none of the salary has been paid. Ellis G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff.

THURSDAY'S BAND CONCERT

The following is the band concert program for tomorrow evening:

March—"Semper Fidelis," (Sousa).
Overture—"Pretziosa" (Skaggs).
One Step March—"How's Every Little Thing in Dixie," (Grumble).
Characteristic Piece — "Humpty Dumpty," (Dalbey).
Fox Trot—Xylophone Rag (Booth).
Characteristique — "The Village Blacksmith," (Laurendeau).
One Step—"Oh Johnny! Oh Johnny! Oh!" (Barry).
March—"Our Director," (Bigelow).

DELEGATES TO MOUND CITY

Knights of Pythias Selected Representatives to Attend District Convention Next Monday.

Delegates to the district K. P. convention at Mound City next Monday were chosen at the Knights of Pythias meeting held last evening. Mayor A. S. Robey, Charles Hyslop and E. F. Wolfert were selected. The alternates are John L. Ritze, John McDougal and Fred Hull. J. R. Davis, grand chancellor, will be in attendance at the Mound City convention. M. Nusbaum, district deputy, will also attend.

ALLIES GAIN AT LENS

BRITISH TAKE FRESH GROUND AROUND LENS.

AIR RAID IN ENGLAND

Reported That Two German Machines Were Shot Down and Three Persons Killed Along East Coast.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 22.—There was a continuation of heavy fighting around Lens during the night in which German counter assaults were repulsed and the British gained fresh ground. According to Haig's dispatches actions were in progress all along the semicircle front which the British occupy in front of Lens.

Germans Suffered Heavy Losses.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Repulse of powerful counter attacks on the Verdun front reported by the French war office today. The Germans suffered heavy losses.

German Air Raid in England.

London, Aug. 22.—German aircrafts struck far north in a raid against the English coast today, the admiralty announced. The Germans appeared off Yorkshire coast line and dropped bombs at the mouth of the Humber river but slight damage was done. Only one man was injured.

Two German Machines Down.

London, Aug. 22.—eGrman aeroplanes raided districts of Dover and Mirgat making two attacks today against the East coast. It is reported two German machines were shot down and three persons killed.

Was Killed in Air Fight.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Corporal Arthur Chadwick of Lowell, Mass., a member of the French aerial squadron, was killed in an air fight over Belgium, it was officially announced today. Previously he had been reported as missing.

RESIGNS AS CONSTABLE

Frank Partridge Presents Resignation to County Clerk—No Action Taken By Township Board.

Frank Partridge, constable of Polk township, has presented his resignation to take effect September 9, and has filed it in the office of County Clerk Yeomans. The resignation is required to be filed with the township board. At the meeting of the township board this afternoon no action was taken.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum

Washington, Aug. 22.—Asked regarding report of meat embargo about to be placed, Secretary Redfield said he had heard of the plan.

Boston, Aug. 22.—British liner City of Lapore, valued with cargo of nearly $5,000,000 is on the rocks off the Massachusetts shore today.

Toledo, Aug. 22.—At least one was killed and half dozen reported fatally injured and thirty others more or less hurt in wreck of Toledo & Ohio Central excursion train at Lime City today.

Strike of 15,000 Mine Workers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York Aug. 22.—The strike of 15,000 marine workers in and around New York City threatened today to extend to the Brooklyn navy yards and will tie up all the construction work on war vessels.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Confidence that strikes will not hold up naval construction work expressed today by Secretary of Navy Daniels.

Sells Property to S. J. Cummins.

M. Nusbaum and Ed Signs sold today the corner lot on Jenkins and Vine streets to Samuel J. Cummins for $2,000.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Electric Theatre
To-Night
5 and 10 cents

K. E. S. E. Film
5 Reels
"DO CHILDREN COUNT"?
Monday, Aug. 27

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
MARIE DORO
The Dainty Little Star
Castles for Two
An American Heiress Marries an Irish Lord.
Tomorrow, "Happiness of Three Women."

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Mrs. W. T. Miller of Ault, Colo., arrived in Maryville Monday to visit with her father, D. S. Angell, and her sister, Miss Mary Angell. Mrs. Miller visited her sisters and brother in Oklahoma and Kansas, and also visited relatives in Kansas City, before coming to Maryville.

Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, August 26, as follows:

Graham—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m.

Mt. Zion—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 3 p. m.

Rockford—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Swan Chapel—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

Rev. E. W. Croy, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Haegan and two sons, Lloyd and Wilbur, of Trenton, Neb., are visiting Miss Kate Haegen, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gross all of Maryville.

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Pennant Brand Hard Wheat Patent Flour (from old wheat) 48lb sack for $2.70

Maney's Best High Patent Flour (from old wheat), 48lb sack.. $3.00

Townsend's Fancy Cream High Patent (from old wheat), 48lb sack $3.15

Gold Coin Finest Short Patent (has no equal (from old wheat) 48lb sack $3.20

Two Orphans (Cigars) packed in good tin humidor for..... 95c

Mrs. Price's Canning Powder (fresh supply), pkg 10c

Crisco (cheaper than ever), 50c $1.00 and $2.00 cans for 38c, 75c and $1.45.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder 1lb 50c cans for 39c

No. 3 cans Tomatoes, were 20c, now 15c

No. 2 cans Tomatoes, were 15c, now 11c

14lb Sack Best Table or Butter Salt 19c

Good Smooth Potatoes, bushel.. $1.20 Peck 35c

New Dry Onions, 7lb 25c

9lb Solid Cabbage 25c

1 Doz. cans Cove Oysters (large cans) for $1.48

Karo Maple Syrup, can 20c

Good Sugar Cured Bacon Pieces, 6lb to 10lb at 35c

60lb Tub Compound for $11.00

50lb Tin Can Compound $9.75

50lb Can Pure Lard $12.00

50lb Can Pure Leaf Lard $12.75

1lb Print Best Butterine 30c

Pet Milk 1lb can 12c

Pet Milk, 6oz. can 6c

Mamma's Pan Cake Flour, pkg.. 10c

Best Iowa Sugar Corn, 2lb cans.. 11c

Extra Quality Hawaiian Pine Apple, large cans (quart size), broken slices 19c

Small cans Cuban Pine Apple, 4 for 25c

Alabama Dry Mealy Sweet Potatoes, 3lb for 25c

Calif. Navel Oranges, small size per doz. 15c

3 pkgs Corn Flakes 20c

Peck Cooking Apples 20c

15c size pkg. Macaroni or Spaghetta 3 for 25c

Kellogg's Sterilized Bran, large package 25c

Matches, best and cheapest, 5c boxes, 3c each, 5 for 13c

Matches, Blue Star, 8c boxes, 4c each 5 for 19c

Matches, Search Light, 10c boxes 5c each, 5 for 20c

30c Large Round pkg New Crop Rolled Oats 25c

15c Small Round pkg New Crop Rolled Oats 10c

Pork and Beans with Tomato Sauce. No. 1 Eastern pack, 2 cans for 15c

No. 2 Eastern pack, 2 cans for .25c

Van Camps No. 1 cans, each..... 12c

Van Camps No. 2 cans, each..... 17c

B & M Fish Flakes, 2 cans..... 25c

American Sardines in oil, 4 cans.. 25c

American Mustard Sardines, large cans, per can 11c

Rosedale High Grade Alaska Salmon, doz. tall cans..... $2.00 Each 20c

Four Deliveries Daily

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Fourth and Main Streets

WILL SHOW ESSANAY FILM

Series of Children's Pictures Will Be Shown at Electric Theatre.

"Do Children Count?"

Essanay is offering a series of powerful short productions under this impelling title. They are children's pictures in that they feature little Mary McAllister, Essanay's famous child star, and their stories all hinge on haps and mishaps in the lives of youngsters. Yet underlying the highly entertaining surface of these productions stands forth a preachment which should be of vital interest to every mother and father, sister and brother.

Charles Mortimer Peck wrote this series. He was the author of "Is Marriage Sacred?" Mr. Peck has culled most of his stories from the records of the Juvenile Court of Chicago. It is here that parents are brought to right the wrongs they have done their children.

The "Do Children Count?" series presents a cycle of such wrongs. The author has carefully chosen from the mass of records those which present the most typical cases. They apply not only to the poorer classes, but to the rich as well. Each unit, which has a screen time of 25 minutes, is a photodrama complete in itself, and bears an individual title. However, the entire series combines under the general title a thorough treatise on the subject of child-training, pointing out the principal mistakes made by parents, as they have been brought forth in Juvenile Court hearings. The series has a greater aim. Whereas such productions introduces a child whose life is threatened with being blighted by mistreatment by its parents, the author very deftly works his situations around to a climax where the parents perceive their great mistake. Thus a happy ending is brought about in every production. Be it added that this series very carefully avoids any reference or dealing whatsoever with sex or birth-control problems.

Little Mary McAllister has a wonderful personality. It shines right out of the screen and into your heart. She is one of the best child actresses on the screen. Essanay has provided her with an excellent supporting company of children as well as adults. L. C. Windom directed the productions.

"Do Children Count?" will be shown at the Electric Theatre Monday night, August 27.

Chester Bennett, W. H. Saunders, F. W. White and L. D. Moody left this morning on a business trip to Ludington, La. They expect to be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Guthrie of Perry, Okla., arrived in Maryville this week for a visit with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie drove through in their car.

Remember

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When the north winds whistle and that old heating plant of yours begins to roar like a blast furnace, you'll certainly wish you had availed yourself of our

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HUMAN SLED SAVES GUIDE 11,000 FEET UP

Lookout on Mount Hood Slides Down Two Miles With Injured Man on Top of Him.

Portland, Ore.—By making a sledge of himself on the snow clad upper slopes of Mount Hood, Elijah Coalman, forestry service on the mountain, brought to safety Hans Fuhrer, a badly injured mountain guide, who is now in a hospital here.

Fuhrer had guided a party of men and women to the summit, 11,000 feet up. When a mile from the top on the descent Fuhrer fell on the sharp blade of an ax, sustaining a serious wound in the abdomen. Coalman, the lookout, had been watching the party through a spyglass from the summit and saw the accident. He slid, coasted and plunged down the intervening mile and, helped by members of the sight seeing party, hastily stanched Fuhrer's wound.

Then, throwing himself flat on his back, he drew Fuhrer on his body and directed those in the party to attach a rope to his feet. Holding the wounded man with his clasped arms, Coalman was dragged over the snow two miles to the timber line, where Fuhrer was placed in an automobile and brought here.

DEPOSED CZAR HAD VAST ARMY OF SPIES

Provisional Government Publishes Lists Containing 80,000 Names In All.

Petrograd.—Thirty-three long lists of spies, informers and agents provocateurs in ex-Emperor Nicholas' pay have been published by the commission for securing the new system of government appointed by the provisional government immediately after the revolution. Fifty more lists may be expected. The total number of these secret legionaries of autocracy is expected to reach 80,000. Those whose guilt is beyond doubt have been put in jail, but it is not yet settled whether they will be tried and punished or merely kept in jail until all peril of reactionary counter revolution has passed.

The commission's reports depict precisely the same system of espionage and state provocation to crime as flourished in Turkey under Abdul Hamid II. The distinction is that Abdul Hamid ran his spy and provocation system directly from the Yildiz kiosk, whereas Nicholas intrusted his system to the notorious "okhrannoe otdielenie," or security department, which occupied a big building in the Basil Ostrov district.

The first act of the triumphant revolutionaries was to seize the security department's secret papers. Many of these were burned in bonfires outside the building. The more precious documents, especially those relating to the state organization of crime, had been kept in safes, and they escaped destruction. The revolutionaries also seized tens of thousands of secret records in the department's provincial offices, and from these, backed by confessions of imprisoned spies, are being compiled the lists. The lists will be followed by a five volume official "History of Espionage Under Nicholas II."

Every spy had a "klitchka," or nickname, by which he was known to the police. The department's records bristle with such nicknames as "Fatty," "Longnose," "Sunday Boy," "Elephant" and "Arsenic." The spy had also two or three faked surnames, and he often changed his town and name when he felt under the revolutionaries' suspicion.

Many spies and informers (like the famous Father Gapon, whose treachery on "Bloody Sunday," 1905, led to his being hanged by a revolutionist engineer) were at one time genuine revolutionaries and became later betrayers and informers. Some seem to have served both sides honestly and earned the approval of both, and some do not seem to have known which side they sympathized with.

Women Run Sawmill.

Kiln, Miss.—Enlistments from Kiln in the last few weeks in the army and navy have taken so many men away that a large sawmill is using negro women as mill hands. The commissary store is run entirely by a force of white women. "Fully 100 men have enlisted from Kiln," said F. W. Pettibone, the mill manager. "As most of these men went from the mill I had to recruit my laboring force from the negro women. And they make good slab rollers too."

Coffin For Dead Dog.

St. Louis.—Despite a diet of chicken broth, a dentist who cleaned his teeth daily, a regular perfumed bath and daily airings in an automobile, Tootsey Toodles Willer, aged fifteen, is dead. A mahogany coffin borne in a big limousine, a specially prepared grave in an exclusive cemetery and a formidable train of mourners attended the funeral. Tootsey is or was a black and tan dog, the pet of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Willer.

Meet After Forty Years.

Mahanoy City, Pa.—Separated forty years ago when young and moving to different parts of the country, Patrick Hyland of this city and his sister, Mrs. Jane Young, now of Shipsburg, Mass., met at the railroad station here for the first time the other night when there was an affecting reunion.

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ATTRACTIVENESS COUNTS

The Fair Exhibits of Fruits and Vegetables — The Relative Value of the Points.

Selecting fruits and vegetables for exhibition at county or state fairs has in many cases developed into the habit of selecting the largest specimens available. Size is always a desirable characteristic but the use of overgrown specimens often result in the sacrifice of other characteristics which are of equal or greater value.

In the search for size, good color and shape, freedom from blemishes and uniformity in the various specimens are often entirely overlooked. To show the relative value of these points, the score card for apples used by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture is given: Size, 15 points; form, 15; color, 20; uniformity, 20; freedom from blemish, 30; total, 100.

Size—The most acceptable commercial size is somewhat above the average size for the variety in regions where it is well grown.

Form—In all cases this refers to the normal type of the variety, region of growth considered.

Color—In red, blushed or striped pome fruits, high, clear color is desirable. A blush on a green or uncolored variety is considered neither favorably or otherwise. The highest color is most acceptable in stone and vine fruits.

Uniformity—This refers to uniformity in size, form and color. Uncolored, mis-shapen specimens or specimens of irregular size have no place in a plate of show fruit.

Freedom from blemish — This means freedom from every kind of blemish, resulting from insect injury, mechanical injury, disease or any other cause. Score cards for other fruits and for vegetables will necessarily differ somewhat from the foregoing but in every case, size will be only one of the several points emphasized. Therefore, in order to have exhibits which will carry away the ribbon it is necessary to select the individual specimens, well shaped and colored, of a uniform size above medium for the variety and free from all signs of injury or disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Dusenberry left Monday for Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Dusenberry will take treatment.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

ARKOE FEEDERS TOP MARKET

Chandler & Evans of Arkoe, Get $19.75 For Hogs at the St. Joseph Market Yesterday.

The following is from yesterday's Stock Yards Daily Journal of St. Joseph:

"A new pinnacle was reached in the hog trade today, when a load of good hogs, mostly Durocs and Poland-Chinas, was sold at the extreme top of the market, $19.75. The load was brought to market by Chandler & Evans, feeders located near Arkoe. There were 68 hogs in the load and weighed 235 pounds on the average. Mr. Evans, who brought the hogs to market, said that they have a herd of 90 pigs, weighing about 115 pounds, that they intend to feed and market as soon as the pigs put on enough weight. Mr. Evans also said that crops were nothing extra in his part of the country, but were as good as could be expected. He stated that the oats were good, wheat fair, probably averaging from 15 to 25 bushels per acre, and the corn crop would be fair, some better than was expected on account of the dry weather, but due to recent rain the crop has been helped greatly, and while in some places the crop will be rather short, in others it will make a fair showing.

Visitors at Hogue Home.

Mrs. George Dougherty and daughter, Louise, of Bedford, who had been visiting Mrs. Hattie Hogue and Miss Myrtle Hogue, went to Orrsburg Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hart. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hogue and daughter, Marjorie, and sons, Loren and Kenneth, who had also been guests at the Hogue home left last week for their home near Pendleton, N. M.

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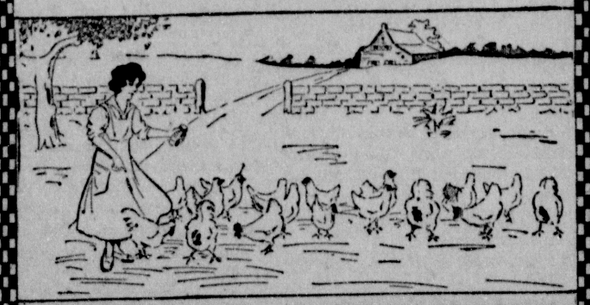

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Raines Have Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines had as their dinner guests last night, Harvey L. Haines and Dr. D. J. Thomas.

Will Meet Thursday.

The Surgical Dressings unit of the Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the basement of the Library, with Miss Ruth Montgomery as instructor.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark entertained at dinner last night at their home north of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Misses Alma Lyle, Zelda Brown of Edgemont, S. D., Luta Moody, Ray Taylor, Bliss and Solon Clark, and the host and hostess.

Tuesday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of 621 North Market street, entertained at dinner Tuesday. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Seaman of Carnegie, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Guthrie and daughter, Bernice, of Perry, Okla.; Mrs. Delbert Vert and daughter, Augusta, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie of near Maryville. Mrs. Seaman is a sister of Mrs. Vert.

Bridgets and Hum Drums Entertain.

Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, who are visiting friends in Maryville, will be honor guests of a picnic supper given tonight at the Hastings lake. Mrs. Stowe is a member of both clubs.

Dinner for Guests.

Miss Ruth Reuillard entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, in honor of her guest, Harry O'Connor of Des Moines, Ia., and Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, Minn.

Celebrate Fourteenth Birthday.

Judge and Mrs. C. A. Anthony entertained with a picnic supper last evening in honor of the fourteenth birthday anniversary of their grandson, Cyrus Lippman of St. Louis. The guests were: Mrs. D. R. Eversole, Mrs. Charles Lippman of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred French, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lippman, Mrs. Lisette Lippman and the honor guest.

The L. I. Club.

The L. I. Club met at the home of Mrs. Rufus Ringgold, August 16. After the business session a rose guessing contest was given. Mrs. Sade Pope won the prize for giving the most correct answers. Watermelon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. Dell Florea. Those present were: Mrs. Ida Morris, Mrs. John Ringgold, Mrs. Sada Pope, Mrs. Nellie Gillespie, Misses Ethel Morris, Jennie Ringgold, Maude Pope, Valta Ringgold, Opal, Mildred and Dorothy Anderson, Pauline and Gail Gillespie, Master Thai Anderson and Wilbur Gillespie and the hostess.

The C. C. Club With Miss Frede.

The C. C. club met with Miss Hazel Frede yesterday afternoon. The guests were: Misses Hattie Culver, Mary Gross, Evelyn Gatton and Viola Gatton. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Miss Mary Gross.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Butts entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home southwest of Maryville. Covers were laid for Miss Hazel Noblet of Graham, Howard Miriam of Clarinda, and Alva Hill of near Maryville.

About Eighty at Social.

About eighty persons attended the social given last night at the St. Mary's Catholic church. In the card games, Miss Agatha Henggeler and Louis Haegen won the prizes. About $30 was taken in.

Colorado Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ruth and two sons, and two daughters, of Greeley, Colo., were dinner guests last night of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Ruth and family are leaving today for their home.

Mrs. Rhoades Hostess.

Mrs. E. J. Rhoades entertained at dinner last night for her son, Edgar. Covers were laid for Frank Reavis, John Mutz, Edgar Rhoades, Miss Hazel Rhoades and Mrs Rhoades.

Social For Drafted Men.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church at Oxford are planning a social to be held Saturday night, for the benefit of the boys in that community, that have been drafted. Each boy will be presented with a Bible.

Entertain at Maple Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie entertained at dinner today at their pretty country home, Maple Hill farm, northwest of Maryville. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Seaman of Carnegie, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Charley V. Guthrie and daughter, Bernice, of Perry, Okla., and the host and hostess.

Union Prayer Circle Meets.

The Union Prayer Circle met this morning with Mrs. Henry Eckert with nine members present. The lesson for the morning was the first and second chapter of Ruth. Mrs. George Hulet was leader. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. M .Ringgold.

For Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe.

Miss Dale Hoffman was hostess at 12 o'clock dinner given today at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean. Covers were laid for: Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, Miss Marjory Wilfley, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean, Helen and Virginia Dean and the hostess.

Entertained at Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hart of Orrsburg entertained with a picnic dinner Sunday. Their guests were F. L. Hart, Edward Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hart, and son, Dean of Parnell; Mr. and Mrs. George Dougherty and daughter, Louise, of Bedford; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael and George Kunkel of Pickering; Mrs. Hattie L. Hogue and Miss Myrtle Hogue of Maryville.

SHANKS IS RELEASED

Member of Fourth Regiment Band Could Not Pass Physical Examination According to Report.

Word was received today from Ezra Phipps, drum major of the Fourth Regiment band that Lawrence Shanks would be discharged from the band on account of weak eyes and minor physical disabilities. The band is in Camp Clark at Nevada, Mo.

Shanks joined the band several weeks before the Fourth Regiment was called out. He was employed by the Maryville Electric Light & Power company.

SHOT OFF FOOT IN ACCIDENT

Harlan Hunter Was Injured When He Fell and Shot Gun Was Discharged —At St. Francis Hospital.

Harlan Hunter, southwest of Maryville, had the side of his foot and his big toe shot off in an accident which occurred at the farm of his father, George Hunter, located near the Belle Grove school house. The boy started out from home yesterday morning with his shot gun and in crossing a ditch which was wet his feet slipped and he fell. In the fall the gun was discharged. He was brought to St. Francis hospital yesterday.

FARMERS PICNIC TODAY.

At the Henry Simpson Grove Near the Grand River, Southeast of Sheridan.

A farmers picnic is being held today in the Henry Simpson grove, near the Grand river, six miles southeast of Sheridan. William Hirth, of Columbia and J. H. Nolan, state drainage commissioner and other speakers will talk this afternoon. Music is furnished by the Worth band, and the International Harvester company will demonstrate tractors.

TOM HOLMES IS DEAD.

Aged Colored Resident of Maryville Passed Away This Morning.

Tom Holmes (colored), died at 9 o'clock this morning at his home following a long illness. He was about 72 years old, and is survived by his wife and several children. No funeral arrangements have been made.

German Submarine Destroyed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

An American Port, Aug 22.—The German submarine which sunk the American steamship Campana and made prisoners of its captain and five members of the gun crew was destroyed by a French patrol vessel, according to report brought here today by the vessel from a French port.

Gerard on Western Trip.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Former American Ambassador to Germany, James W. Gerard stopped off in Chicago today on tour of the west to answer the question, "Why we are in the great war."

Japan Navy Plays Important Part.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Japan navy has played tremendously important part in the world's war. This became known today simultaneously with the arrival of the Japanese mission to the United States.

A. N. Somerville Returns.

A. N. Somerville, district agent for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, returned to Maryville today. Mr. Somerville was married at Bridgeport, Conn., on July 25. Mrs. Somerville will remain at Bridgeport owing to the ill health of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Butts Have Guests.

Miss Hazel Noblet of Graham and Howard Miriam of Clarinda, Ia. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Butts southwest of Maryville.

Miss Odessa Hunter, a student in the school of Osteopathy, arrived in Maryville last night for a few days visit with her sister, Miss Addy Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Fennell of Burlington Junction left this morning in their car for a visit in St. Joseph, Kansas City and Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Eph R. Adle of Denison, Ia., announce the birth of a daughter, born this morning.

Miss Johnnie Clark of Amarilla, Tex., went to Bolckow today for a few days visit with friends.

The interior of the Bee Hive Shoe store is being repainted and remodeled.

Sam Webb of Burlington Junction is a Maryville visitor today.

LIMIT DRAFT MEN'S KITS

Only a Few Fixed Articles Can be Taken to Camp, Crowder Rules Today.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Loving mothers, sweethearts and kind friends must not overload drafted men with a lot of clothing and comforts when they go to camp September 5, Provost Marshal General Crowder ruled today. The 260,100 boys of the first increment will be allowed to take very little. Trunks are absolutely prohibited. Suitcases and handbags will be frowned upon. The War Department wishes each man to bring only necessary toilet articles and one change of linen and underclothing.

Strict attention will be given the military appearance of the boys from the moment they report at headquarters of their local board. The department wishes it understood, however, the articles mentioned as it is that they bring nothing more.

Members of each man's local board will inspect his kit just before he entrains, rejecting everything that has no place therein and returning the surplus articles to his relatives.

"These men," a draft official here today said, "are not going on a vacation trip. They are going to study the business of war. They will be supplied with all necessary clothing and equipment when they get to the camp."

According to the regulations, all any man can take is a toothbrush, a piece of soap, collapsible drinking cup, a towel, a few handkerchiefs, an extra shirt and collar, a suit of underwear and a pair of socks.

NOTICE.

Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Bainum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad left yesterday morning for Chugwater, Wyo., where they will spend several weeks on their ranch. They will also visit in Denver and Colorado Springs.

Dana Scarbrough returned yesterday from a visit with his brother, Harry, in Chicago, and at Ames, Ia., with his mother, Mrs. T. N. Doolittle, and his sister, Miss Merl Scarbrough.

Leo Richardson, who has been visiting friends in Maryville left yesterday for Wichita, Kan., where he will play in the Western League.

Miss Eleanor Smith left this morning for Joplin to spend several days with Miss Berenice Rice at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Packer.

Mrs. Beason Leaves.

Mrs. S. A. Beason, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lowry, and her sister, Mrs. J. S. Clark, left last night for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will make her future home.

Mrs. D. A. Sidlow and two daughters of Dodge City, Kan., and Mrs. A. A. Thummel of Parnell are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reavis.

Miss Margaret Bloom, who has been visiting for a few days with Mrs. Ralph Moyer, left this morning for her home at Barnard. Mrs. Moyer accompanied her to her home.

Bevier Fancy Lump on Burlington track at $4.75 per ton while it lasts. Better get your order in quick.

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Cool Sierras and Seashore
On your way visit the Colorado Rockies Old Santa Fe— Painted Desert Indian Pueblos— Petrified Forest Grand Canyon and Yosemite
Four daily California trains
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Advance Fall Suits

Introducing Latest Fall Styles

FALL and WINTER are welcome indeed when they bring such youthful, graceful suits and coats as we are now receiving in the famous Wooltex and other standard makes.

We here illustrate one of the new Wooltex Fall Suits. The Wooltex tailors have cleverly made this suit double-breasted with an all round belt for smartness. Long lines are given to the back by a box pleat down the center, forming a straight panel. The woman who seeks a touch of something just a little different will be delighted with the appearance of trimness and youthfulness this garment gives the wearer. Has full fancy lining and comes in choice Gabadine, Navy and Green. Moderately priced at - - - - **$32.50**

Other beautiful models in various new weaves and colors at - - **$25.00 to $45.00**

Come in and See the Advance Styles—We will Count it a Privilege to Show You the New Arrivals Whether You Wish to Buy or Not.

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The Unity plan protects all investors alike. You get an interest in the net profits from the actual oil produced. You buy no stock.

Arthur Chapman, General Manager Unity Oil Company, sends us the following telegram:

RECEIVED AT MARYVILLE
No. 24—OM—MY. CK. 54.
Chickasa, Oklahoma, 1:28 p. m. Aug. 21, '17

L. P. ARNOLD, Care Linville Hotel, Maryville, Mo.

Formations and showings continue good. Many visit the well every day and leave with the belief we are in oil now, and surely looks it.

A. CHAPMAN, 3:12 p. m.

Which means, the time is short. You must act quickly. Our Units will surely be withdrawn from the market, when this big well comes in. We will gladly show you our plan. We will satisfy you as to the company's reliability.

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Assessment No. 17 to the State Farmers Mutual Insurance Co. is now due.

The same can be paid at The First National Bank, within the next thirty days.

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IT WAS CREATED PRIMARILY—

To help the business men and farmers;
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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

HAIRCUT 25c, except Saturday. Bath 15c. At Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery Shoe Store. 20-22*

TAKEN UP—Strayed black sow. Owner can have at E. F. Scott's. 22-24

WANTED

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—First cutting alfalfa hay. Will buy on premises or delivered. Jim Andy Ford. 21-23*

WANTED—Housework in Maryville by experienced girl; no washing or ironing. Inquire this office. 21-23*

WANTED — Girl wants general housework, town preferred. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 20-22*

WANTED—Middle aged woman to help with kitchen work in restaurant. Good wages to the right party. Princess Cafe, Elmo, Mo. 21-25

WANTED — 3 or 4 unfurnished modern rooms for housekeeping. Inquire at this office. 2'-23*

WANTED—Lady help, Edwards' Cafe. 20-22*

WANTED — A partner with small capital for well established business, affiliated with the automobile industry. Good paying business with a future. Young man preferred. Address A. H., care Democrat-Forum. 21-23*

WANTED—A middle aged responsible man to do general farm work. T. C. Cooper, Farmers 23-13. 22-24

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Good, strong, black leather go-cart. 405 West 12th. Hanamo 575. 20-22

FOR SALE — Coal oil stove with cabinet, in perfect condition. Mrs. Johnson, 301 East Third, Hanamo 3527. 21-23

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house modern except heat. Inquire of J. D. Dickerson or Hartness & Sons. 20-22*

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR SALE—Baseburner, coal heating stove and some furniture. 119 West Cooper street. Hanamo 4033. 22-24

FARM FOR SALE—We have listed for immediate sale, 100 acres; very desirable home. Owner lives in another state and wishes to sell at once. This farm is located 5 miles of a good shipping point in this county, has house of 9 rooms, barn 32x40, wagon shed, hen house, cement cave, milk house, cement walks, coal house, 2 wells, cistern, family orchard, 20 acres hog-tight, some steel posts, school and church at farm. Owner wants cash all but $7,000, will carry back balance at 6 per cent. This is what you want, get the price of Holmes & Wolfert. Also have 80 acres, 3 miles of good shipping point, good improvements; owner will take down $1,500, balance at 6 per cent long time. Get busy and quit paying rent.—Holmes & Wolfert. 17-23

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — McJimsey property on South Main. Inquire of J. K. Sawyers. 21-23*

FOR RENT—Good 9-room, strictly modern house, 222 West 7th street. Fine chance to rent rooms to Normal students. See Fred C. Newlon at Wadley Bros. 21-23

FOR RENT — Good sized house, close in, modern, vacant September 1. Call at 518 South Main. Farmers 189. 20-25*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 120 East First street. Call Han. 3624. 22-28*

LOST

LOST—Gold medal, star shaped, "Reading" on front, "Teachers' Ass'n '17" on back. Reward if returned to Maryville Furniture Co. 20-22

LOST—Pair rimmed glasses and case, Sunday, between Oak Hill cemetery and town. Farmers phone 51-15. 22-24

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 22.— WHEAT — Sept., $2.15.

CORN—Dec., $1.07⅞; May, $1.05⅞.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000; steers, $10.00@$14.50; cows, $6.50@$8.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; top, $19.35; bulk, $18.25@$19.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000 market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—CATTLE— Receipts, 13,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, steady; top, $19.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000; market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market, steady; top, $19.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; market, steady.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter fat, per lb	40c
Eggs, per doz	27c
Hens, per lb	15c
Spring Chickens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	8c

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Virgil V. Hardisty and Frances Rasco of Barnard.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

All Unity Wells Producing Oil.

Kansas City, Mo., June 18, 1917.

To Whom It May Concern:

As I am a contract holder in the Unity Oil Co., of Nowata, Okla., I took a day off to visit the field located on the Budd Clark farm, Nowata, Okla., on June 16, 1917.

The drillers were working on well No. 5. I saw the last 25 feet drilled in the oil producing sand and the well shot and the casing installed.

The power plant was in working order and attached to pumps on wells No. 2, 3 and 4. In fact I found everything as represented by the Kansas City office. I consider the management good as well as the drilling equipment, and consider it a paying investment but how big remains to be seen. All the wells drilled to date are producing oil.—John Reynard, 2947 East Twenty-eighth street, Kansas City, Mo., Home Phone 1550 Linwood.

Unity Oil Co., L. P. Arnold, Sales Mgr., The New Linville Hotel.

Miss Linville Returns.

Miss Elfrieda Linville returned today from a two month's visit with her sisters, Mrs. Earl E. Fisher of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Charles Awalt of Webb City, Mo. Miss Linville was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Awalt and two daughters, Laveta and Alice Anita, the trip from Webb City being made in the Awalt car.

Visitors at Hamblen Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wolf of Houston, Tex., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney F. Hamblen. Mrs. Wolf and Mrs. Hamblen are sisters. Miss Ellen Hovendon of Shenandoah, a niece of Mrs. Hamblen, is also a guest at the Hamblen home.

Hogs Down 15 Cents Today.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Hogs broke fifteen cents today, the top being $19.85.

MIRROR IN CLOUDS

Priceless Telescope Reaches Home on Mount Wilson.

WEIGHS FIVE TONS IN ALL.

Armed Men Watch Over Largest Reflector In World on Way Up—Since Reaching This Country Eight Years Ago It Has Undergone Polishing Process to Make It Perfect.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Accompanied by an armed escort, the priceless concave mirror for the hundred inch reflector telescope was successfully transported from Pasadena to the Mount Wilson observatory. The mirror, which weighs five tons, was taken up the tortuous mountain road on a specially constructed cradle on a truck geared to run two miles an hour.

Because of a report that an effort would be made to wreck the mirror on the steep mountain road special precautions were taken to guard it. Deputy Sheriff P. H. Hayden and Deputy Constable E. L. Rodgers, the one riding ahead and the other behind the truck and each of them armed, composed the guard. The convoy included about 150 persons in thirty motorcars.

The truck with the mirror left the observatory shops in Pasadena at 7 a. m. and arrived at the top of the mountain at 1 p. m. The arrival of the mirror and those who accompanied it was celebrated by a flag ceremony at the observatory. An immense United States flag was draped over the door of the dome which is to be the home of the mirror. When the truck passed inside the building the flag was unfurled across the doorway and the crowd of 200 persons applauded.

The glass disk, which is the object of intense interest in the scientific world, is 101 inches in diameter and thirteen inches thick and weighs 10,000 pounds. It was cast in France and brought to Pasadena eight years ago, since which time it has been subjected to a slow and careful grinding and polishing process. This was under the supervision of Professor G. W. Ritchey.

The framework of the telescope has been built and is ready for the installation of the large mirror and the smaller mirrors which will be used with it. The great apparatus will be ready for use in about three months. It will be the largest telescope in the world, and astronomers declare it will be impossible to make a larger one successfully since the drawbacks increase rapidly as the size and light gathering capacity of the mirrors increase.

The telescope is of the reflecting type, with no light passing through the glass, as in the case of the old style refracting telescopes. The immense concaved mirror, silvered on the lower side, will repose at the bottom of a tube, where it will reflect the image of the heavens to smaller mirrors set diagonally at the upper end of the tube. The observer will get the image from the small mirrors and not the large one. Because of the size and power of the glass it is believed it will open up vast undiscovered areas in the heavens. The enterprise of building the new telescope was inaugurated by Dr. George E. Hale, director of the observatory.

Ghost Shows Gold.

Roseburg, Ore.—Chen Waung, a Chinese cook of this city, recently found $200 in gold in the house of Hop Lee, who was a victim of the tong wars two years ago. He says that the ghost of his murdered friend directed him to the treasure. The money was found in a paper bag in plain sight of all who entered a room that had never been occupied since the murder. Chen Waung believes that Hop Lee would have killed him if he had not obeyed the ghostly summons.

Hawaiians Beg to Go to Front.

Washington.—Urgent pleas to be sent to France to join the American forces there are being made by 3,000 Hawaiian militiamen, according to J. Kuhio Kalanianaole, the Hawaiian delegate in congress, who is urging favorable action by the war department. The question of food supply enters into the problem, for Hawaii is looked to to furnish much of the United States' sugar and rice needs.

Finds Long Lost Ring.

Princeton, Ind.—Mrs. Allie Slater lost her wedding ring thirty-three years ago at her home south of Princeton. The other day while she was passing through the barn lot there she kicked her foot at a bright object peeping through the ground, and out rolled the lost ring, practically as good as ever She is wearing it again.

Now Is a Good Time To Treat Your Catarrh

Mild weather aid treatment.

Don't be misled into thinking that your Catarrh is gone. The first touch of winter weather will bring it back with all its discomforts.

But this is an excellent time to thoroughly cleanse the blood of the germs of Catarrh, and be forever rid of the troublesome sprays and douches that can never cure you.

S. S. S., the great blood purifier, searches out the germs of Catarrh which infest your blood, and chases them entirely out of your system. It is by far the most satisfactory treatment for the disease, because it reaches down to its very roots and gets at the cause. Write to-day for full information, and expert medical advice regarding the treatment of your own case. Take advantage of this chance to-day. Address Swift Specific Co., Dept. G Atlanta, Ga.

121 MEN FOR MONDAY

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713—Earl Wray Booth, Wilcox.
2145—Jesse Lewis Townsend, Clearmont.
1478—Arthur T. Graves, Quitman.
1929—Francis Earl Bluel, Maryville.
935—Loyd Earl Powell, Ravenwood.
2091—William R. Hubbard, Barnard.
1121—Leo Adolph Schieber, Clyde.
1150—Robert Rohmer, Clyde.
450—Chester A. Maurose, Graham.
2244—Hosick Greenup Holmes, Maryville.
1390—Paul William Kuchs, Maryville.
113—Charlie Erwing Timmons, Burlington Junction.
1658—Eugene Joseph Cummins, Maryville.
2084—Alonzo A. Barber, Skidmore.
1472—Ralph Raymond Banner, Burlington Junction.
725 — Herman Sylvanus Mounts, Maryville.
1004—Glen Fitzpatrick, Clearmont.
1975—William F. Barber, Skidmore.
1521—Jesse Chappell, Graham.
156—Harvey Elmer Ring, Barnard.
2222—Lester Holaday, Maryville.
1034—David Milburn Archer, Elmo.
808—Roy Grant Cassel, Hopkins.
1004—Dave K. Seckington, Maryville.
1571—George J. Hickerson, Quitman.
2280—Mahlon S. Hamilton, Skidmore.
780—Charles Wilfong, Skidmore.
1971—George Irvin Workman, Maryville.
1183—Alvin Blair Kingery, Burlington Junction.
2179—Don Gregory Hainey, Arkoe.
267—Herbert Mattox, Graham.
1550—Lester Carl Jasper, Ravenwood.
567—LeRoy Chancellor Pruitt, Elmo
1218—William James Anderson, Conception Junction.
421—Jesse James Gatton, Bolckow.
1700—William S. Zapf, Maitland.
940—Edward Ernest Wolf, Bolckow.
2281—Glen Hutchinson Patterson, Maryville.
1232—Fenmore Conrad Maffitt, Barnard.
1254—David Sebastian Miller, Conception Junction.
169—Omer Perry Fisher, Maryville.
436—Chester A. Wilson, Guilford.
1477—Fred Cole Fleming, Burlington Junction.
396—Alfred Franklin Deardorff, Sheridan.
1633—Alva Marion Burch, Pickering.
989—Elijah Dale Bailey, Burlington Junction.
1702—William Edward Bosch, Pickering.
1304—Elmer Reynolds, Maryville.
2270—George E. Maxwell, Guilford.
1107—Elza E. Crenshaw, Parnell.
1270—Marion Glen Fine, Clearmont.
862—Robert E. Lee, Elmo.
1638—Mathew Farnan, Jr., Conception Junction.
1406—Clyde W. Collins, Skidmore.
257—Floyd Martin Chambers, Hopkins.
1824—Ertle Lester Harrington, Maryville.
1109—Jorge D. Sam Fandy, Guilford.
155—Dale Lincoln Partridge, Maryville.
284 — Edward McClellan Goforth, Barnard.
133—Lucian Cleo Renshaw, Maryville.
807—Simon Leander Damon Cummins, Conception.
867—Robert H. Riley, Parnell.
930—Roy William King, Hopkins.
185—Leo Edward Atherton, Maryville.
1398—Isador Tavel, Hopkins.
265—H. Noble Klaas, Parnell.
2064—Walter Francis Dykes, Guilford.
285—Vern Griffith, Barnard.
1720—James Todd, Maryville.
1785—Joseph Osborn, Barnard.
1313—Joseph Webb Cornell, Maryville.
1602—Ira E. Porter, Skidmore.
1968—Claud Glen Richards, Bolckow.
1119—Stanford Pence, Clearmont.
1864—John William Buford, Arkoe.
1963—Emmet Leland Linville, Skidmore.
1917—Sorenus E. Jensen, Maryville.
1051—Lester O. Reaksecker, Maryville.
560—John Hopkins, Graham.
303—Everett Carmichael, Pickering.
2121—Clarence D. Stein, Skidmore.
563—Ralph D. Logan, Quitman.
211—Milo Comer, Ravenwood.
1435—Philo Hugh Jamison, Clearmont.

XENIA

Eber Collins returned Monday from his trip to California, having been gone sixty days. He visited in the vicinity of Los Angeles, camping out a part of the time in the mountains with a friend. Mr. Collins has two brothers and two sisters in this part of California and his mother who came home with him. They came by way of Washington and Boise, Idaho, visiting a brother, Howard Collins and family at Sunnyside, Wash, and a sister of Mrs. B. M. Collins at Boise. They took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Russell and Miss Zoe Russell at Denver, Colo.

Mrs. A. D. Walker is visiting her parents at Turley, in the southern part of this state.

G. Downing and James Smith left Monday for a trip to Douglas county, Mo. Mr. Smith has a farm there and Mr. Downing, a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and son, Mark, and Ed Coleman were St. Joseph visitors Sunday.

The M. and D. U. club are well pleased with their canning outfit. They have used it to can beans and tomatoes.

The Xenia Sunday school is prospering with Callie Harmon, a faithful superintendent. There will be preaching next Sunday at the school house by Rev. Rush of Burlington Junction.

Those from this district who enjoyed the Chautauqua at Hopkins were: Olin Pistole, Bunch Coleman and Newt Otis and their families.

The farmers are plowing for two-dollar wheat.

This rain was much needed to fill out the corn.

Bottling Works Wins Case.

The case of the Maryville Bottling Works against Peter Pfeiffer of Conception Junction was tried before Charles Hyslop, justice of the peace yesterday and was won by the plaintiff. The case was over an account. M. G. Tate represented the plaintiff and P. L. Growney the defendant.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

$8,660,480 TO DRAFT ARMY.

Secretary Baker Gives Out Cost From Registration to Enrollment.

Washington.—The cost of drafting America's first great national army—from registration to enrollment—was placed by Secretary Baker at $8,660,480 in his estimates to congress.

This amount includes all overhead expense of registration, examination and selection. It is based on registration of 10,000,000, examination of approximately 5,000,000 and enrollment of 1,187,000.

"On a tentative estimate that the generous system of exemptions and discharges will result in a necessity for examining four registrants to produce one soldier," said Secretary Baker, "it is apparent the system must be capable of examining 5,000,000 men during the year. For this task the organization includes a personnel of more than 18,000 persons."

THOSE AWFUL CRAMPS

Suggestions that may save Much Suffering

Marysville, Pa.—"For twelve years I suffered with terrible cramps. I would have to stay in bed several days every month. I tried all kinds of remedies and was treated by doctors, but my trouble continued until one day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others. I tried it and now I am never troubled with cramps and feel like a different woman. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly and I am recommending it to my friends who suffer as I did." —Mrs. GEORGE R. NAYLOR, Box 72, Marysville, Pa.

Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.

Write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Only women oven and read such letters.

Mrs. W. A. Smith and daughters, Ola and Hazel and W. Lee Griffin of Dayton, Ia., were guests last Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simmons of Parnell.

Mrs. Albert Binter and two children and Loretta Binter, who have been visiting relatives in Maryville, left yesterday morning for Eldorado, Kan., where they will make their home. Mr. Binter has bought a cafe in Eldorado.

Mrs. Matt O'Brien went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

Miss Lela Lane and Mrs. R. L. Ready of Kansas City, are guests of Miss Hildred Hanna of Maryville.

Mrs. Fred Haller of Wilcox was taken to the Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester, Minn., for treatment.

We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

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CARPENTER, *At The Bee Hive Shoe Store*

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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121 MEN FOR MONDAY

THAT MANY SUMMONED TO APPEAR FOR EXAMINATION.

ANOTHER CALL FOR 121

Will Be Made Today for Next Tuesday —Several Were Examined Today By the Board.

The exemption board made public today the names of men called for examination for next Monday. The order numbers of these men are from 557 to 678. Another list of numbers of men from 679 to 800 will be called for next Tuesday.

The examination of men from order number 426 to number 556 will be held Saturday.

Probably another 125 men will be called for next Wednesday by the board tomorrow, as it is expected it will take nearly 1,000 men to secure the county's quota.

Examination was held today of several men. Dale E. Bellows of Maryville, who was summoned to appear for examination Saturday was accepted by the board today. Mr. Bellows filed claims of exemption. Others who passed today were: Maurice S. Thompson, Chester A. Wilson and William Edward Bosch. Fred D. Bellows of Maryville was exempted on account of being under weight, and also Joseph Clyde Creech of Hopkins and Clifford M. Lyle of Maryville.

Harry T. Wilson of Burlington Junction was accepted by the board this afternoon. Mr. Wilson was to have appeared next Monday but as he intends to attend the Iowa State fair at Des Moines he took the examination today.

The men called for examination Monday are as follows:

1024—Boies Campbell Malone, Burlington Junction.
1291—Charles Andrew Crandall, Barnard.
871 — Walter Wood Worthington, Bolckow.
1341—Fowler Benjamin Hamilton, Elmo.
1556—Loren L. Pfeiffer, Skidmore.
2159—Charles Nicholas Leeper, Barnard.
2212—Fred Robert Wolfers, Maryville
1643—James Robert House, Barnard.
1606—Harlan D. Wells, Hopkins.
1934—Harley Harrison Damewood, Braddyville, Ia.
71—Virgil Kendrich Belcher, Maryville.
1520—Ira Crawford, Guilford.
2137—Blaine Logan, Skidmore.
1972—Charles Walter Wiles, Maryville.
1690—Homer Dwight Lawler, Sheridan.
1156—Robert Harold Groppe, Maryville.
1393—John Thomas Neal, Conception Junction.
1593—Roy Samuel Gingrich, Maryville.
1850—Carl Harlon Kissinger, Maryville.
2013—Jimmie E. Thrasher, Barnard.
555—Valentine Walter Conley, Maryville.
978—William Arnold Maxwell, Pickering.
1260—Louis Arlington Strader, Barnard.
506—Harry A. Bailey, Quitman.
2221—John Franklin Godsey, Hopkins.
1588—Ray Blanton, Parnell.
1591—Calvin Basil David, Burlington Junction.
1909—Ephrim Russel Boham, Barnard.
1686—Glenn A. Hull, Quitman.
2058—Omar Curtis Wallace, Maryville.
1391—Walter Emmett Lavelle, Maryville.
1272—Carlyle Watson Huston, Elmo.
1525—Jackson Ed. Holt, Maryville.
877—Rollie Ferman Cooper, Sheridan.
435—Harry Turner Wilson, Burlington Junction.
2096—Lewis Andrew Neidel, Maryville.
681—Austin M. McQuinn, Conception Junction.

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COAL PRICES ARE FIXED

President Orders Regulation That Will Fix the Charges at Every Coal Mine.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Anthracite coal dealers may be on the watch for government action similar to that taken for bituminous coal situation intimated from the White House today.

Bituminous coal prices were fixed by President Wilson last night for every mine in the United States. The next step in coal control, a White House announcement said, will be to fix the price to be charged by middlemen and retailers.

The prices are set on cost of production, estimates furnished by the federal trade commission after months of exhaustive investigation. The country is divided into twenty mine districts and every producer in a district will market his output at the same price.

The president named no agency to carry out the provisions of his order, but is expected to appoint soon a coal administrator, who will be given entire control of the coal industry.

The cost of mine run coal at the mine in Missouri was fixed at $2.70 and at $2.55 in Kansas.

THE ROAD DRAG FUNDS

Inter-County Seat Highways Residents Should Report Failure to Have Load Properly Dragged.

The State Highway Board makes a direct appeal through the columns of this paper to our citizens who reside along inter-county seat highways to report any failure on the part of road drag commissioners to have their road properly dragged or otherwise improved. The sum of $15 per mile per year has been appropriated out of the state highways in Missouri. There are more than 11,000 miles of approved inter-county seat roads, but in many counties the money appropriated for a specific road has been used by the commission to drag or otherwise improve some stretch of favored roadway in the county.

"This practice must be stopped," declared A. C. McKibbin, Secretary of the State Highway Board, in a letter forwarded to all road drag commissioners this week. The abuse of the system is illustrated by reciting the action of the road drag commission in a county south of the river, where a sum of more than $800 appropriated in four years for a certain road was used by the commission in a different section of the county. If any of the inter-county seat roads in this county have been neglected in the manner indicated, it is the duty of residents thereon to report the matter direct to the State Highway Board.

BELLOWS CATTLE TO FAIR

Twelve Shorthorns Will Be Shown at Des Moines—Caldwell & Son to Send Aberdeen-Angus.

Bellows Bros. are shipping today two car loads of Shorthorn cattle to the Iowa State Fair at Des Moines, which opens Saturday. There are twelve show cattle in the shipment. Fred Bellows accompanied the shipment to Des Moines. Charles D. Bellows and Dale Bellows will go to Des Moines Saturday. In addition to making the Des Moines fair, Bellows Bros. will show at Kansas City and Chicago this fall.

C. D. Caldwell & Son of Burlington Junction are also shipping two car loads of Aberdeen-Angus cattle to Des Moines today for the fair.

LEONARD CHILD ADOPTED

By Her Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pike—Child Was Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leonard.

Papers for the adoption of Wilma Esther Leonard, two-years-old, and the child of Floyd E. Leonard and Laura Pearl Leonard were filed in probate court today by Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pike, of College Springs, Ia., Leonard killed his wife and ended his own life at Elmo on Sunday, August 12. Mr. Pike was a brother of Mrs. Leonard.

Dora E. Linville was appointed administratrix of the estate of Daniel B. Linville, who died July 9, 1917.

MANY CASES FILED

AS IT IS THE LAST WEEK OF SERVICE FOR SEPTEMBER TERM.

2 DIVORCE SUITS TODAY

Also Suit to Set Aside Deed Filed Today for This Term of Court—Which Convenes Sept. 24.

This is the last week of service for all cases except on notes and accounts for the September term of circuit court which convenes Monday, Sept. 24. Several cases are being filed this week.

Two divorce cases and a suit to set aside a deed were filed today.

Blanche Overmier brought suit against Lawrence Overmier for divorce, alleging indignities and abandonment. The petition states that they were married in Iowa on Sept. 4, 1900, and lived together until Oct., 1914. A decree of divorce and the care and custody of four minor children, Della May, Esther Marie, Blanche, Margaret and Ruth Maxine Overmier are prayed for. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Ovella Geneva Teel, 17 years old, and by her next friend, Samuel J. Cummings, brought suit for divorce against Claude Marion Teel on the grounds of indignities and alleging that the defendant carried rat poison in his pocket and put some into the food. The petition states that they were married in Daviess county, Mo., on February 28, 1916, and lived together until May 29, that year. The petition claims the defendant is worth $1,000 and received an income of about $1,000 a year and as the plaintiff is without means of support, maintenance money is asked for. The care and custody of one minor child is also asked for. Fred Harvey is the attorney for the plaintiff.

A suit to set aside a deed was filed by Elizabeth Judy against Georgia Masters. The petition states that the plaintiff was the owner of property in Maryville valued at $1,000 and in consideration of the defendant furnishing her home, a deed to the property was made out to the defendant. The deed was filed for record but was never delivered to defendant as the petition alleged that the defendant refused to furnish her a home. E. G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff.

PLANS SONG FESTIVAL

One This Fall With Representatives From Every Community in the County—Singing Popular.

Community singing will be a feature of the weekly band concert tomorrow night with Marcus Neilsen as leader. Neilsen expresses himself as well pleased with his efforts in this enterprise, as each week finds more enthusiastic singers gathered around the band stand. Maryville people have entered into the spirit of this manner of expression and community singing has come to stay.

A great Song Festival is planned for the fall, when representatives from every community in the county will gather together and thousands of voices will be heard.

Community singing is not a new feature to the world in general, but is being revived in the United States. We refer to its growing popularity in many communities — in Kansas City, where thirty-five voices were heard when it was first attempted and where, now, one thousand people meet to sing.

FOURTH NEEDS 125 MEN

A Number Were Rejected in Physical Examinations Given at Camp Clark at Nevada.

The Fourth Regiment is in need of 125 men as a result of rejections upon the final physical examination given at Camp Clark at Nevada. Young men of this county who wish to join units of the Fourth may do so by applying at the regular army recruiting station in St. Joseph.

Men drawn in the army draft may enlist in the Fourth regiment if they have not yet been summoned to appear before the exemption board. If a man has been called—and by that is meant if his name has been posted by the board—he now has the privilege of enlisting.

Miss Ethel Montz of Bedford, Ia., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark.

PROGRAM IS READY

FOR COUNTY TEACHERS' MEETING, AUG. 31 AND SEPT. 1.

TO PLAN SCHOOL WORK

Every Teacher in County is Required to Attend—W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City, on Program.

A two-days teachers' meeting of the teachers of the county will be held Friday and Saturday, August 31 and September 1, at the High school building, to plan for the school work for this year. It is the duty of every teacher of the county to attend.

W. M. Oakerson of the State Department of Education at Jefferson City, President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school and Superintendent J. M. McDonald are some of the speakers.

The following is the program as announced today by County Superintendent Bert Cooper:

Friday Forenoon.

10:00—Roll call.
10:15—Opening exercises.
10:30—Announcements.
10:45—Work to be done this year. General discussion of State Course of Study and County Outline.
12:00—Noon.

Afternoon.

1:30—Roll call.
Section 1—For all rural grade teachers.
"The Daily Program," Bessie Nicholson.
"Text Books, Supplementary Books, and Materials Needed," Margaret Heffern.
2:00—"Work to be Done in Abriculture," W. H. Burr.
"Correlation of Agriculture With Other Subjects," Ruby Ruddell.
"Club Work," Prof. Earl Richards.
3:30—Nodaway County Agriculture and Domestic Science Conteste," Wesley Baker.
3:45—"Athletics in the Grades and the Spring Meets," E. R. Adams.
3:45—Section 2—"For High School Teachers," Supt. J. M. McDonald, chairman.
"Responsibility of all High School Teachers for the English used by their Pupils," Dr. S. E. Davis, State Normal.
"The Junior High School," Supt. M. J. Wixen, Bethany, Mo.
"Inter-High School Athletics," Prof. Ralph McClintock.
"Laboratory Work and Note Books," Supt. J. N. Geyer.
"Helping High School Students to Study," Mrs. Etchison.

Saturday Forenoon.

9:00—Opening exercises.
Roll call.
Georgraphy — "B" Class, Maude Whitehead.
Geography—"A" Class, Mary Halasey.
9:45—"Teaching of Language and Grammar," Beulah Russell.
10:00—Address, W. M. Oakerson, State Department of Education.
11:00—Address, Pres. Ira Richardson.
11:45—Plans for Improvement of Physical Conditions in Schools.

Afternoon.

1:30—Roll call.
1:45—"Teaching of Reading by 'The Easy Road' Method (Our Newly Adopted Reader), J. W. Carnahan.
2:30—Announcements.
2:45—County Superintendent in office for interviews.

ROOSEVELT TO RUSSIA?

Colonel Was Aversed to Talking Today of the Report From Washington.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 22.—Col. Roosevelt was adversed to talking today of the report from Washington that official recommendation had been made by the government that he be placed at the head of 100,000 soldiers of the regular army to assist General Kornilloff to drive the Austrian-Germans back. "I know nothing of it and have no comment to make," was all the Colonel said.

Mrs. W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City arrived this morning for a visit with her father, G. A. Hartman and family. Mr. Oakerson will arrive next week to join Mrs. Oakerson for a several day's stay.

Miss Bonnie Hickman went to Gilman City this morning to visit for several days with Misses Mattie Clayton and Freida Schaffer.

"YOU'RE KIND OF SLOW, BUT I'M STILL BANKING ON YOU."

—Donnell in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

22 MORE CERTIFIED

MAKES 122 MEN WHO HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED FOR DRAFT ARMY.

UP TO DISTRICT BOARD

Several Filed Claims With That Board —100 More are Needed to Fill the County's Quota.

Twenty-two men were certified by the local exemption board to the district board at Kansas City as accepted for the draft army. This makes 122 men who have been certified to the board as ninety men accepted last week was announced at that time. One hundred more men are needed to fill the county's quota.

The board still has thirteen claims for discharge to act on. Several of the accepted men have filed claims with the district board.

The following are those certified today:

John Joseph Zirfas, Clyde.
Gay Hills Gross, Maryville.
James N. Hughes, Skidmore.
Leo B. Knox, Maryville.
Arch L. Carter, Maryville.
Roy Birkenholz, Parnell.
Joshua Ward Stevenson, Graham.
Hobart F. Bledsoe, Guilford.
Glenn Dee Ulmer, Hopkins.
Garland O. Headrick, Burlington Junction.
Lester Swearengen, Conception Junction.
Ruben A. Hall, Skidmore.
Valentine F. Miller, Graham.
Alphonso Stephen Bradley, Hopkins.
Charles Teeters, Parnell.
James Shelton Evans, Maryville.
James E. Meek, Burlington Junction.
Floyd Aloysius Roseler, Ravenwood.
Charles Ira Juhl, Clyde.
Thomas Roy Teaney, Ravenwood.
Emmett Franklin Wilder, Hopkins.
Edward D. Kennedy, Guilford.

ARE TAKING EXAMINATIONS

Fred Vandersloot and Verne Pickens are Seeking Employment in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandersloot, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Vandersloot's uncle, Robert Yeaman, southwest of Maryville, since their marriage Saturday night, drove to St. Joseph yesterday afternoon. Mr. Vandersloot and Verne Pickens, who accompanied them, will take the civil service examination being given today, Thursday and Friday for employment in the Philippine Islands. Mr. and Mrs. Vandersloot will leave the latter part of the week in their car for Joplin, where they will visit with Mrs. Vandersloot's brother, Homer Shipps, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hanna of Clearmont were in Maryville on business yesterday.

RUSSIAN REPORTS ALARMING

The State Department Refused to Discuss Them, Stating They Had No Information.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Decidedly alarming reports concerning conditions of Russia widely circulated here today ranged from stories that the government will absolutely be overthrown to others and that serious rioting has broken out in many of the larger Russian cities. Secretary of State Lansing refused to discuss the report and said the state department had no information concerning them. The Russian embassy had no news.

SUES E. C. CULP FOR $3,600

Wilbert Reese Alleges He Worked Twelve Years for Culp and Didn't Receive Any Money.

Wilbert Reese has brought suit against E. C. Culp for $3,600 alleging that amount is due him for farm work for twelve years' work as a farm hand. The petition claims Reese was hired by Culp in December, 1902, as a farm hand at a salary of $300 a year and he continued in his employ until December, 1914. The petition states none of the salary has been paid. Ellis G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff.

THURSDAY'S BAND CONCERT

The following is the band concert program for tomorrow evening:

March—"Semper Fidelis," (Sousa).
Overture—"Pretziosa" (Skaggs).
One Step March—"How's Every Little Thing in Dixie," (Grumble).
Characteristic Piece — "Humpty Dumpty," (Dalbey).
Fox Trot—Xylophone Rag (Booth).
Characteristique — "The Village Blacksmith," (Laurendeau).
One Step—"Oh Johnny! Oh Johnny! Oh!" (Barry).
March—"Our Director," (Bigelow).

DELEGATES TO MOUND CITY

Knights of Pythias Selected Representatives to Attend District Convention Next Monday.

Delegates to the district K. P. convention at Mound City next Monday were chosen at the Knights of Pythias meeting held last evening. Mayor A. S. Robey, Charles Hyslop and E. F. Wolfert were selected. The alternates are John L. Ritze, John McDougal and Fred Hull. J. R. Davis, grand chancellor, will be in attendance at the Mound City convention. M. Nusbaum, district deputy, will also attend.

ALLIES GAIN AT LENS

BRITISH TAKE FRESH GROUND AROUND LENS.

AIR RAID IN ENGLAND

Reported That Two German Machines Were Shot Down and Three Persons Killed Along East Coast.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 22.—There was a continuation of heavy fighting around Lens during the night in which German counter assaults were repulsed and the British gained fresh ground. According to Haig's dispatches actions were in progress all along the semicircle front which the British occupy in front of Lens.

Germans Suffered Heavy Losses.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Repulse of powerful counter attacks on the Verdun front reported by the French war office today. The Germans suffered heavy losses.

German Air Raid in England.

London, Aug. 22.—German aircrafts struck far north in a raid against the English coast today, the admiralty announced. The Germans appeared off Yorkshire coast line and dropped bombs at the mouth of the Humber river but slight damage was done. Only one man was injured.

Two German Machines Down.

London, Aug. 22.—eGrman aeroplanes raided districts of Dover and Mirgat making two attacks today against the East coast. It is reported two German machines were shot down and three persons killed.

Was Killed in Air Fight.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Corporal Arthur Chadwick of Lowell, Mass., a member of the French aerial squadron, was killed in an air fight over Belgium, it was officially announced today. Previously he had been reported as missing.

RESIGNS AS CONSTABLE

Frank Partridge Presents Resignation to County Clerk—No Action Taken By Township Board.

Frank Partridge, constable of Polk township, has presented his resignation to take effect September 9, and has filed it in the office of County Clerk Yeomans. The resignation is required to be filed with the township board. At the meeting of the township board this afternoon no action was taken.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum

Washington, Aug. 22.—Asked regarding report of meat embargo about to be placed, Secretary Redfield said he had heard of the plan.

Boston, Aug. 22.—British liner City of Lapore, valued with cargo of nearly $5,000,000 is on the rocks off the Massachusetts shore today.

Toledo, Aug. 22.—At least one was killed and half dozen reported fatally injured and thirty others more or less hurt in wreck of Toledo & Ohio Central excursion train at Lime City today.

Strike of 15,000 Mine Workers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York Aug. 22.—The strike of 15,000 marine workers in and around New York City threatened today to extend to the Brooklyn navy yards and will tie up all the construction work on war vessels.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Confidence that strikes will not hold up naval construction work expressed today by Secretary of Navy Daniels.

Sells Property to S. J. Cummins.

M. Nusbaum and Ed Signs sold today the corner lot on Jenkins and Vine streets to Samuel J. Cummins for $2,000.

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* THE WEATHER *
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Generally fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Electric Theatre
To-Night
5 and 10 cents

K. E. S. E. Film
5 Reels
"DO CHILDREN COUNT"?
Monday, Aug. 27

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
MARIE DORO
The Dainty Little Star
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Tomorrow, "Happiness of Three Women."

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Mrs. W. T. Miller of Ault, Colo., arrived in Maryville Monday to visit with her father, D. S. Angell, and her sister, Miss Mary Angell. Mrs. Miller visited her sisters and brother in Oklahoma and Kansas, and also visited relatives in Kansas City, before coming to Maryville.

Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, August 26, as follows:

Graham—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m.

Mt. Zion—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 3 p. m.

Rockford—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Swan Chapel—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

Rev. E. W. Croy, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Haegan and two sons, Lloyd and Wilbur, of Trenton, Neb., are visiting Miss Kate Haegen, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gross all of Maryville.

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Mrs. Price's Canning Powder (fresh supply), pkg 10c

Crisco (cheaper than ever), 50c $1.00 and $2.00 cans for 38c, 75c and $1.45.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder 1lb 50c cans for 39c

No. 3 cans Tomatoes, were 20c, now 15c

No. 2 cans Tomatoes, were 15c, now 11c

14lb Sack Best Table or Butter Salt 19c

Good Smooth Potatoes, bushel.. $1.20 Peck 35c

New Dry Onions, 7lb 25c

9lb Solid Cabbage 25c

1 Doz. cans Cove Oysters (large cans) for $1.48

Karo Maple Syrup, can 20c

Good Sugar Cured Bacon Pieces, 6lb to 10lb at 35c

60lb Tub Compound for $11.00

50lb Tin Can Compound $9.75

50lb Can Pure Lard $12.00

50lb Can Pure Leaf Lard $12.75

1lb Print Best Butterine 30c

Pet Milk 1lb can 12c

Pet Milk, 6oz. can 6c

Mamma's Pan Cake Flour, pkg.. 10c

Best Iowa Sugar Corn, 2lb cans.. 11c

Extra Quality Hawaiian Pine Apple, large cans (quart size), broken slices 19c

Small cans Cuban Pine Apple, 4 for 25c

Alabama Dry Mealy Sweet Potatoes, 3lb for 25c

Calif. Navel Oranges, small size per doz. 15c

3 pkgs Corn Flakes 20c

Peck Cooking Apples 20c

15c size pkg. Macaroni or Spaghetta 3 for 25c

Kellogg's Sterilized Bran, large package 25c

Matches, best and cheapest, 5c boxes, 3c each, 5 for 13c

Matches, Blue Star, 8c boxes, 4c each 5 for 19c

Matches, Search Light, 10c boxes 5c each, 5 for 20c

30c Large Round pkg New Crop Rolled Oats 25c

15c Small Round pkg New Crop Rolled Oats 10c

Pork and Beans with Tomato Sauce. No. 1 Eastern pack, 2 cans for 15c

No. 2 Eastern pack, 2 cans for .25c

Van Camps No. 1 cans, each..... 12c

Van Camps No. 2 cans, each..... 17c

B & M Fish Flakes, 2 cans..... 25c

American Sardines in oil, 4 cans.. 25c

American Mustard Sardines, large cans, per can 11c

Rosedale High Grade Alaska Salmon, doz. tall cans..... $2.00

Each 20c

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WILL SHOW ESSANAY FILM

Series of Children's Pictures Will Be Shown at Electric Theatre.

"Do Children Count?"

Essanay is offering a series of powerful short productions under this impelling title. They are children's pictures in that they feature little Mary McAllister, Essanay's famous child star, and their stories all hinge on haps and mishaps in the lives of youngsters. Yet underlying the highly entertaining surface of these productions stands forth a preachment which should be of vital interest to every mother and father, sister and brother.

Charles Mortimer Peck wrote this series. He was the author of "Is Marriage Sacred?" Mr. Peck has culled most of his stories from the records of the Juvenile Court of Chicago. It is here that parents are brought to right the wrongs they have done their children.

The "Do Children Count?" series presents a cycle of such wrongs. The author has carefully chosen from the mass of records those which present the most typical cases. They apply not only to the poorer classes, but to the rich as well. Each unit, which has a screen time of 25 minutes, is a photodrama complete in itself, and bears an individual title. However, the entire series combines under the general title a thorough treatise on the subject of child-training, pointing out the principal mistakes made by parents, as they have been brought forth in Juvenile Court hearings. The series has a greater aim. Whereas such productions introduces a child whose life is threatened with being blighted by mistreatment by its parents, the author very deftly works his situations around to a climax where the parents perceive their great mistake. Thus a happy ending is brought about in every production. Be it added that this series very carefully avoids any reference or dealing whatsoever with sex or birth-control problems.

Little Mary McAllister has a wonderful personality. It shines right out of the screen and into your heart. She is one of the best child actresses on the screen. Essanay has provided her with an excellent supporting company of children as well as adults. L. C. Windom directed the productions.

"Do Children Count?" will be shown at the Electric Theatre Monday night, August 27.

Chester Bennett, W. H. Saunders, F. W. White and L. D. Moody left this morning on a business trip to Ludington, La. They expect to be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Guthrie of Perry, Okla., arrived in Maryville this week for a visit with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie drove through in their car.

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HUMAN SLED SAVES GUIDE 11,000 FEET UP

Lookout on Mount Hood Slides Down Two Miles With Injured Man on Top of Him.

Portland, Ore.—By making a sledge of himself on the snow clad upper slopes of Mount Hood, Elijah Coalman, forestry service on the mountain, brought to safety Hans Fuhrer, a badly injured mountain guide, who is now in a hospital here.

Fuhrer had guided a party of men and women to the summit, 11,000 feet up. When a mile from the top on the descent Fuhrer fell on the sharp blade of an ax, sustaining a serious wound in the abdomen. Coalman, the lookout, had been watching the party through a spyglass from the summit and saw the accident. He slid, coasted and plunged down the intervening mile and, helped by members of the sight seeing party, hastily stanched Fuhrer's wound.

Then, throwing himself flat on his back, he drew Fuhrer on his body and directed those in the party to attach a rope to his feet. Holding the wounded man with his clasped arms, Coalman was dragged over the snow two miles to the timber line, where Fuhrer was placed in an automobile and brought here.

DEPOSED CZAR HAD VAST ARMY OF SPIES

Provisional Government Publishes Lists Containing 80,000 Names In All.

Petrograd.—Thirty-three long lists of spies, informers and agents provocateurs in ex-Emperor Nicholas' pay have been published by the commission for securing the new system of government appointed by the provisional government immediately after the revolution. Fifty more lists may be expected. The total number of these secret legionaries of autocracy is expected to reach 80,000. Those whose guilt is beyond doubt have been put in jail, but it is not yet settled whether they will be tried and punished or merely kept in jail until all peril of reactionary counter revolution has passed.

The commission's reports depict precisely the same system of espionage and state provocation to crime as flourished in Turkey under Abdul Hamid II. The distinction is that Abdul Hamid ran his spy and provocation system directly from the Yildiz kiosk, whereas Nicholas intrusted his system to the notorious "okhrannoe otdielenie," or security department, which occupied a big building in the Basil Ostrov district.

The first act of the triumphant revolutionaries was to seize the security department's secret papers. Many of these were burned in bonfires outside the building. The more precious documents, especially those relating to the state organization of crime, had been kept in safes, and they escaped destruction. The revolutionaries also seized tens of thousands of secret records in the department's provincial offices, and from these, backed by confessions of imprisoned spies, are being compiled the lists. The lists will be followed by a five volume official "History of Espionage Under Nicholas II."

Every spy had a "klitchka," or nickname, by which he was known to the police. The department's records bristle with such nicknames as "Fatty," "Longnose," "Sunday Boy," "Elephant" and "Arsenic." The spy had also two or three faked surnames, and he often changed his town and name when he fell under the revolutionaries' suspicion.

Many spies and informers (like the famous Father Gapon, whose treachery on "Bloody Sunday," 1905, led to his being hanged by a revolutionist engineer) were at one time genuine revolutionaries and became later betrayers and informers. Some seem to have served both sides honestly and earned the approval of both, and some do not seem to have known which side they sympathized with.

Women Run Sawmill.

Kiln, Miss.—Enlistments from Kiln in the last few weeks in the army and navy have taken so many men away that a large sawmill is using negro women as mill hands. The commissary store is run entirely by a force of white women. "Fully 100 men have enlisted from Kiln," said W. W. Pettibone, the mill manager. "As most of these men went from the mill I had to recruit my laboring force from the negro women. And they make good slab rollers too."

Coffin For Dead Dog.

St. Louis.—Despite a diet of chicken broth, a dentist who cleaned his teeth daily, a regular perfumed bath and daily airings in an automobile, Tootsey Toodles Willer, aged fifteen, is dead. A mahogany coffin borne in a big limousine, a specially prepared grave in an exclusive cemetery and a formidable train of mourners attended the funeral. Tootsey is or was a black and tan dog, the pet of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Willer.

Meet After Forty Years.

Mahanoy City, Pa.—Separated forty years ago when young and moving to different parts of the country, Patrick Hyland of this city and his sister, Mrs. Jane Young, now of Shipsburg, Mass., met at the railroad station here for the first time the other night when there was an affecting reunion.

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Shirts in a variety of striking patterns; fall colorings.

Something different in neckwear and hosiery, besides a host of other interesting things.

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ATTRACTIVENESS COUNTS

The Fair Exhibits of Fruits and Vegetables — The Relative Value of the Points.

Selecting fruits and vegetables for exhibition at county or state fairs has in many cases developed into the habit of selecting the largest specimens available. Size is always a desirable characteristic but the use of overgrown specimens often result in the sacrifice of other characteristics which are of equal or greater value.

In the search for size, good color and shape, freedom from blemishes and uniformity in the various specimens are often entirely overlooked. To show the relative value of these points, the score card for apples used by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture is given: Size, 15 points; form, 15; color, 20; uniformity, 20; freedom from blemish, 30; total, 100.

Size—The most acceptable commercial size is somewhat above the average size for the variety in regions where it is well grown.

Form—In all cases this refers to the normal type of the variety, region of growth considered.

Color—In red, blushed or striped pome fruits, high, clear color is desirable. A blush on a green or uncolored variety is considered neither favorably or otherwise. The highest color is most acceptable in stone and vine fruits.

Uniformity—This refers to uniformity in size, form and color. Uncolored, mis-shapen specimens or specimens of irregular size have no place in a plate of show fruit.

Freedom from blemish — This means freedom from every kind of blemish, resulting from insect injury, mechanical injury, disease or any other cause. Score cards for other fruits and for vegetables will necessarily differ somewhat from the foregoing but in every case, size will be only one of the several points emphasized. Therefore, in order to have exhibits which will carry away the ribbon it is necessary to select the individual specimens, well shaped and colored, of a uniform size above medium for the variety and free from all signs of injury or disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Dusenberry left Monday for Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Dusenberry will take treatment.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

ARKOE FEEDERS TOP MARKET

Chandler & Evans of Arkoe, Get $19.75 For Hogs at the St. Joseph Market Yesterday.

The following is from yesterday's Stock Yards Daily Journal of St. Joseph:

'A new pinnacle was reached in the hog trade today, when a load of good hogs, mostly Durocs and Poland-Chinas, was sold at the extreme top of the market, $19.75. The load was brought to market by Chandler & Evans, feeders located near Arkoe. There were 68 hogs in the load and weighed 235 pounds on the average. Mr. Evans, who brought the hogs to market, said that they have a herd of 90 pigs, weighing about 115 pounds, that they intend to feed and market as soon as the pigs put on enough weight. Mr. Evans also said that crops were nothing extra in his part of the country, but were as good as could be expected. He stated that the oats were good, wheat fair, probably averaging from 15 to 25 bushels per acre, and the corn crop would be fair, some better than was expected on account of the dry weather, but due to recent rain the crop has been helped greatly, and while in some places the crop will be rather short, in others it will make a fair showing.

Visitors at Hogue Home.

Mrs. George Dougherty and daughter, Louise, of Bedford, who had been visiting Mrs. Hattie Hogue and Miss Myrtle Hogue, went to Orrsburg Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hogue and daughter, Marjorie, and sons, Loren and Kenneth, who had also been guests at the Hogue home left last week for their home near Pendleton, N. M.

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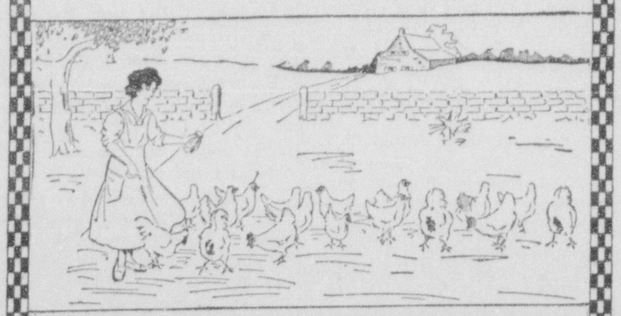

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Raines Have Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines had as their dinner guests last night, Harvey L. Haines and Dr. D. J. Thomas.

Will Meet Thursday.

The Surgical Dressings unit of the Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the basement of the Library, with Miss Ruth Montgomery as instructor.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark entertained at dinner last night at their home north of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Misses Alma Lyle, Zelda Brown of Edgemont, S. D., Luta Moody, Ray Taylor, Bliss and Solon Clark, and the host and hostess.

Tuesday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of 621 North Market street, entertained at dinner Tuesday. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Seaman of Carnegie, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Guthrie and daughter, Bernice, of Perry, Okla.; Mrs. Delbert Vert and daughter, Augusta, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie of near Maryville. Mrs. Seaman is a sister of Mrs. Vert.

Bridgets and Hum Drums Entertain.

Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, who are visiting friends in Maryville, will be honor guests of a picnic supper given tonight at the Hastings lake. Mrs. Stowe is a member of both clubs.

Dinner for Guests.

Miss Ruth Reuillard entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, in honor of her guest, Harry O'Connor of Des Moines, Ia., and Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, Minn.

Celebrate Fourteenth Birthday.

Judge and Mrs. C. A. Anthony entertained with a picnic supper last evening in honor of the fourteenth birthday anniversary of their grandson, Cyrus Lippman of St. Louis. The guests were: Mrs. D. R. Eversole, Mrs. Charles Lippman of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred French, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lippman, Mrs. Lisette Lippman and the honor guest.

The L. I. Club.

The L. I. Club met at the home of Mrs. Rufus Ringgold, August 16. After the business session a rose guessing contest was given. Mrs. Sade Pope won the prize for giving the most correct answers. Watermelon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. Dell Florea. Those present were: Mrs. Ida Morris, Mrs. John Ringgold, Mrs. Sada Pope, Mrs. Nellie Gillespie, Misses Ethel Morris, Jennie Ringgold, Maude Pope, Valta Ringgold, Opal, Mildred and Dorothy Anderson, Pauline and Gail Gillespie, Master Thai Anderson and Wilbur Gillespie and the hostess.

The C. C. Club With Miss Frede.

The C. C. club met with Miss Hazel Frede yesterday afternoon. The guests were: Misses Hattie Culver, Mary Gross, Evelyn Gatton and Viola Gatton. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Miss Mary Gross.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Butts entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home southwest of Maryville. Covers were laid for Miss Hazel Noblet of Graham, Howard Miriam of Clarinda, and Alva Hill of near Maryville.

About Eighty at Social.

About eighty persons attended the social given last night at the St. Mary's Catholic church. In the card games, Miss Agatha Henggeler and Louis Haegen won the prizes. About $30 was taken in.

Colorado Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ruth and two sons, and two daughters, of Greeley, Colo., were dinner guests last night of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Ruth and family are leaving today for their home.

Mrs. Rhoades Hostess.

Mrs. E. J. Rhoades entertained at dinner last night for her son, Edgar. Covers were laid for Frank Reavis, John Mutz, Edgar Rhoades, Miss Hazel Rhoades and Mrs Rhoades.

Social For Drafted Men.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church at Oxford are planning a social to be held Saturday night, for the benefit of the boys in that community, that have been drafted. Each boy will be presented with a Bible.

Entertain at Maple Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie entertained at dinner today at their pretty country home, Maple Hill farm, northwest of Maryville. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Seaman of Carnegie, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Charley V. Guthrie and daughter, Bernice, of Perry, Okla., and the host and hostess.

Union Prayer Circle Meets.

The Union Prayer Circle met this morning with Mrs. Henry Eckert with nine members present. The lesson for the morning was the first and second chapter of Ruth. Mrs. George Hulet was leader. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. M .Ringgold.

For Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe.

Miss Dale Hoffman was hostess at 12 o'clock dinner given today at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean. Covers were laid for: Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Stowe of Minneapolis, Miss Marjory Wilfley, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean, Helen and Virginia Dean and the hostess.

Entertained at Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hart of Orrsburg entertained with a picnic dinner Sunday. Their guests were F. L. Hart, Edward Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hart, and son, Dean of Parnell; Mr. and Mrs. George Dougherty and daughter, Louise, of Bedford; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael and George Kunkel of Pickering; Mrs. Hattie L. Hogue and Miss Myrtle Hogue of Maryville.

SHANKS IS RELEASED

Member of Fourth Regiment Band Could Not Pass Physical Examination According to Report.

Word was received today from Ezra Phipps, drum major of the Fourth Regiment band that Lawrence Shanks would be discharged from the band on account of weak eyes and minor physical disabilities. The band is in Camp Clark at Nevada, Mo.

Shanks joined the band several weeks before the Fourth Regiment was called out. He was employed by the Maryville Electric Light & Power company.

SHOT OFF FOOT IN ACCIDENT

Harlan Hunter Was Injured When He Fell and Shot Gun Was Discharged —At St. Francis Hospital.

Harlan Hunter, southwest of Maryville, had the side of his foot and his big toe shot off in an accident which occurred at the farm of his father, George Hunter, located near the Belle Grove school house. The boy started out from home yesterday morning with his shot gun and in crossing a ditch which was wet his feet slipped and he fell. In the fall the gun was discharged. He was brought to St. Francis hospital yesterday.

FARMERS PICNIC TODAY.

At the Henry Simpson Grove Near the Grand River, Southeast of Sheridan.

A farmers picnic is being held today in the Henry Simpson grove, near the Grand river, six miles southeast of Sheridan. William Hirth, of Columbia and J. H. Nolan, state drainage commissioner and other speakers will talk this afternoon. Music is furnished by the Worth band, and the International Harvester company will demonstrate tractors.

TOM HOLMES IS DEAD.

Aged Colored Resident of Maryville Passed Away This Morning.

Tom Holmes (colored), died at 9 o'clock this morning at his home following a long illness. He was about 72 years old, and is survived by his wife and several children. No funeral arrangements have been made.

German Submarine Destroyed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

An American Port, Aug 22.—The German submarine which sunk the American steamship Campana and made prisoners of its captain and five members of the gun crew was destroyed by a French patrol vessel, according to report brought here today by the vessel from a French port.

Gerard on Western Trip.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Former American Ambassador to Germany, James W. Gerard stopped off in Chicago today on tour of the west to answer the question, "Why we are in the great war."

Japan Navy Plays Important Part.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Japan navy has played tremendously important part in the world's war. This became known today simultaneously with the arrival of the Japanese mission to the United States.

A. N. Somerville Returns.

A. N. Somerville, district agent for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, returned to Maryville today. Mr. Somerville was married at Bridgeport, Conn., on July 25. Mrs. Somerville will remain at Bridgeport owing to the ill health of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Butts Have Guests.

Miss Hazel Noblet of Graham and Howard Miriam of Clarinda, Ia. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Butts southwest of Maryville.

Miss Odessa Hunter, a student in the school of Osteopathy, arrived in Maryville last night for a few days visit with her sister, Miss Addy Hunter

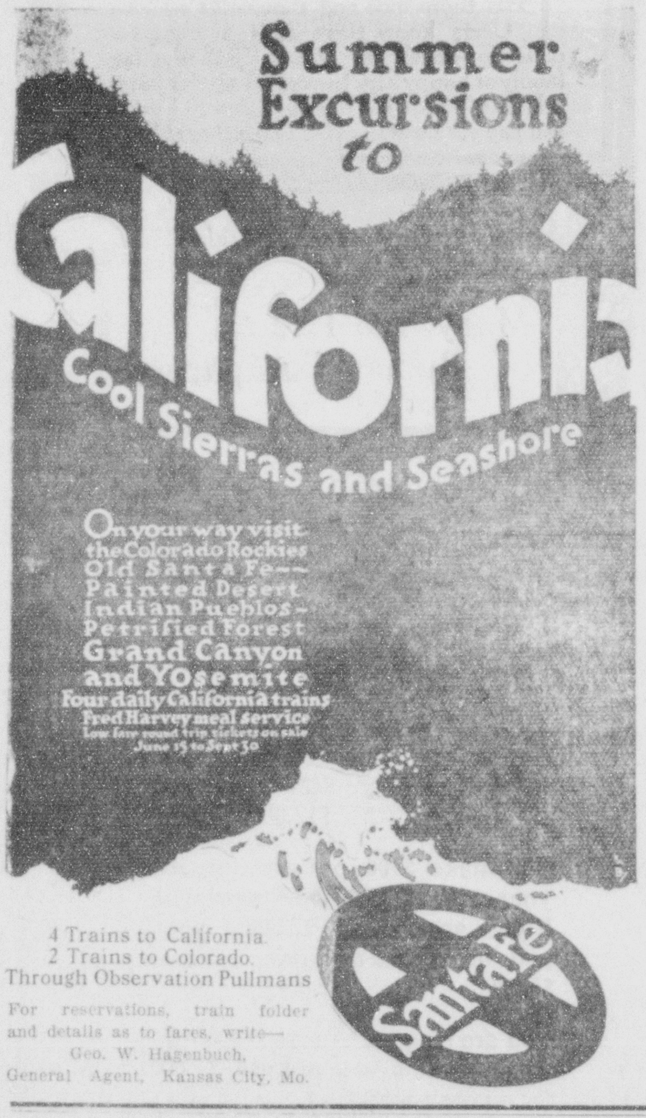
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Fennell of Burlington Junction left this morning in their car for a visit in St. Joseph, Kansas City and Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Eph R. Adle of Denison, Ia., announce the birth of a daughter, born this morning.

Miss Johnnie Clark of Amarilla, Tex., went to Bolckow today for a few days visit with friends.

The interior of the Bee Hive Shoe store is being repainted and remodeled.

Sam Webb of Burlington Junction is a Maryville visitor today.



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2 Trains to Colorado.
Through Observation Pullmans

For reservations, train folder and details as to fares, write—
Geo. W. Hagenbuch,
General Agent, Kansas City, Mo.

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The Unity plan protects all investors alike. You get an interest in the net profits from the actual oil produced. You buy no stock.

Arthur Chapman, General Manager Unity Oil Company, sends us the following telegram:

RECEIVED AT MARYVILLE
No. 24—OM—MY. CK. 54.
Chickasa, Oklahoma, 1:28 p. m. Aug. 21, '17

L. P. ARNOLD, Care Linville Hotel, Maryville, Mo.

Formations and showings continue good. Many visit the well every day and leave with the belief we are in oil now, and surely looks it.

A. CHAPMAN, 3:12 p. m.

Which means, the time is short. You must act quickly. Our Units will surely be withdrawn from the market, when this big well comes in. We will gladly show you our plan. We will satisfy you as to the company's reliability.

The New Linville Hotel
Maryville, Missouri

Unity Oil Co.
Kansas City, Mo

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Advance Fall Suits

Introducing Latest Fall Styles

FALL and WINTER are welcome indeed when they bring such youthful, graceful suits and coats as we are now receiving in the famous Wooltex and other standard makes.

We here illustrate one of the new Wooltex Fall Suits. The Wooltex tailors have cleverly made this suit double-breasted with an all round belt for smartness. Long lines are given to the back by a box pleat down the center, forming a straight panel. The woman who seeks a touch of something just a little different will be delighted with the appearance of trimness and youthfulness this garment gives the wearer. Has full fancy lining and comes in choice Gabadine, Navy and Green. Moderately priced at - - - - - **$32.50**

Other beautiful models in various new weaves and colors at - - **$25.00 to $45.00**

Come in and See the Advance Styles—We will Count it a Privilege to Show You the New Arrivals Whether You Wish to Buy or Not.

LIMIT DRAFT MEN'S KITS

Only a Few Fixed Articles Can be Taken to Camp, Crowder Rules Today.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Loving mothers, sweethearts and kind friends must not overload drafted men with a lot of clothing and comforts when they go to camp September 5, Provost Marshal General Crowder ruled today. The 260,100 boys of the first increment will be allowed to take very little. Trunks are absolutely prohibited. Suitcases and handbags will be frowned upon. The War Department wishes each man to bring only necessary toilet articles and one change of linen and underclothing.

Strict attention will be given the military appearance of the boys from the moment they report at headquarters of their local board. The department wishes it understood, however, the articles mentioned as it is that they bring nothing more.

Members of each man's local board will inspect his kit just before he entrains, rejecting everything that has no place therein and returning the surplus articles to his relatives.

"These men," a draft official here today said, "are not going on a vacation trip. They are going to study the business of war. They will be supplied with all necessary clothing and equipment when they get to the camp."

According to the regulations, all any man can take is a toothbrush, a piece of soap, collapsible drinking cup, a towel, a few handkerchiefs, an extra shirt and collar, a suit of underwear and a pair of socks.

NOTICE.

Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Bainum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad left yesterday morning for Chugwater, Wyo., where they will spend several weeks on their ranch. They will also visit in Denver and Colorado Springs.

Dana Scarbrough returned yesterday from a visit with his brother, Harry, in Chicago, and at Ames, Ia., with his mother, Mrs. T. N. Doolittle, and his sister, Miss Merl Scarbrough.

Leo Richardson, who has been visiting friends in Maryville left yesterday for Wichita, Kan., where he will play in the Western League.

Miss Eleanor Smith left this morning for Joplin to spend several days with Miss Berenice Rice at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Packer.

Mrs. Beason Leaves.

Mrs. S. A. Beason, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lowry, and her sister, Mrs. J. S. Clark, left last night for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will make her future home.

Mrs. D. A. Sidlow and two daughters of Dodge City, Kan., and Mrs. A. A. Thummel of Parnell are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reavis.

Miss Margaret Bloom, who has been visiting for a few days with Mrs. Ralph Moyer, left this morning for her home at Barnard. Mrs. Moyer accompanied her to her home.

Bevier Fancy Lump on Burlington track at $4.75 per ton while it lasts. Better get your order in quick.

The Shoemaker-Bovard Co.

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK.
A BANK OF SAVINGS. MARYVILLE, MO.

Policy Holders Attention!

Assessment No. 17 to the State Farmers Mutual Insurance Co. is now due.

The same can be paid at The First National Bank, within the next thirty days.

The Federal Reserve System Helps You

IT WAS CREATED PRIMARILY—

To help the business men and farmers;
To provide plenty of currency at all times;
To effect a steadier supply of credit.

The system merits the support of all good citizens; it must have yours in order to reach its full development.

You can secure the benefits of this great system and at the same time assist directly in developing it by depositing your money with us.

First National Bank
Member Federal Reserve System

RESULTS

DEMOCRAT-FORUM CLASSIFIED ADS ARE IN A Class by Themselves. Business people get a line on more good prospects through these Classified Ads than by any other means—Because they do get results.

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions, 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

HAIRCUT 25c, except Saturday. Bath 15c. At Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery Shoe Store. 20-22*

TAKEN UP—Strayed black sow. Owner can have at E. F. Scott's. 22-24

WANTED

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—First cutting alfalfa hay. Will buy on premises or delivered. Jim Andy Ford. 21-23*

WANTED—Housework in Maryville by experienced girl; no washing or ironing. Inquire this office. 21-23*

WANTED — Girl wants general housework, town preferred. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 20-22*

WANTED—Middle aged woman to help with kitchen work in restaurant. Good wages to the right party. Princess Cafe, Elmo, Mo. 21-25

WANTED — 3 or 4 unfurnished modern rooms for housekeeping. Inquire at this office. 2-23*

WANTED—Lady help, Edwards' Cafe. 20-22*

WANTED — A partner with small capital for well established business, affiliated with the automobile industry. Good paying business with a future. Young man preferred. Address A. H., care Democrat-Forum. 21-23*

WANTED—A middle aged responsible man to do general farm work. T. C. Cooper, Farmers 23-13. 22-24

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Good, strong, black leather go-cart. 405 West 12th, Hanamo 575. 20-22

FOR SALE — Coal oil stove with cabinet, in perfect condition. Mrs. Johnson, 301 East Third, Hanamo 3527. 21-23

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house modern except heat. Inquire of J. D. Dickerson or Hartness & Sons. 20-22*

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR SALE—Baseburner, coal heating stove and some furniture. 119 West Cooper street. Hanamo 4033. 22-24

FARM FOR SALE—We have listed for immediate sale, 100 acres; very desirable home. Owner lives in another state and wishes to sell at once. This farm is located 5 miles of a good shipping point in this county, has house of 9 rooms, barn 32x40, wagon shed, hen house, cement cave, milk house, cement walks, coal house, 2 wells, cistern, family orchard, 20 acres hog-tight, some steel posts, school and church at farm. Owner wants cash all but $7,000, will carry back balance at 6 per cent. This is what you want, get the price of Holmes & Wolfert. Also have 80 acres, 3 miles of good shipping point, good improvements; owner will take down $1,500, balance at 6 per cent long time. Get busy and quit paying rent.—Holmes & Wolfert. 17-23

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — McJimsey property on South Main. Inquire of J. K. Sawyers. 21-23*

FOR RENT—Good 9-room, strictly modern house, 222 West 7th street. Fine chance to rent rooms to Normal students. See Fred C. Newlon at Wadley Bros. 21-23

FOR RENT — Good sized house, close in, modern, vacant September 1. Call at 518 South Main. Farmers 189. 20-25*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 120 East First street. Call Han. 3624. 22-28*

LOST

LOST—Gold medal, star shaped, "Reading" on front, "Teachers' Ass'n '17" on back. Reward if returned to Maryville Furniture Co. 20-22

LOST—Pair rimmed glasses and case, Sunday, between Oak Hill cemetery and town. Farmers phone 51-15. 22-24

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 22.— WHEAT — Sept., $2.15.

CORN—Dec., $1.07⅞; May, $1.05⅞.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000; steers, $10.00@$14.50; cows, $6.50@$8.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; top, $19.35; bulk, $18.25@$19.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000 market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—CATTLE— Receipts, 13,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market, steady; top, $19.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000; market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Aug. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market, steady; top, $19.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; market, steady.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter fat, per lb	40c
Eggs, per doz	27c
Hens, per lb	15c
Spring Chickens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	8c

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Virgil V. Hardisty and Frances Rasco of Barnard.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

All Unity Wells Producing Oil.

Kansas City, Mo., June 18, 1917.

To Whom It May Concern:

As I am a contract holder in the Unity Oil Co., of Nowata, Okla., I took a day off to visit the field located on the Budd Clark farm, Nowata, Okla., on June 16, 1917.

The drillers were working on well No. 5. I saw the last 25 feet drilled in the oil producing sand and the well shot and the casing installed.

The power plant was in working order and attached to pumps on wells No. 2, 3 and 4. In fact I found everything as represented by the Kansas City office. I consider the management good as well as the drilling equipment, and consider it a paying investment but how big remains to be seen. All the wells drilled to date are producing oil.—John Reynard, 2947 East Twenty-eighth street, Kansas City, Mo., Home Phone 1550 Linwood.

Unity Oil Co., L. P. Arnold, Sales Mgr., The New Linville Hotel.

Miss Linville Returns.

Miss Elfrieda Linville returned today from a two month's visit with her sisters, Mrs. Earl E. Fisher of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Charles Awalt of Webb City, Mo. Miss Linville was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Awalt and two daughters, Laveta and Alice Anita, the trip from Webb City being made in the Awalt car.

Visitors at Hamblen Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wolf of Houston, Tex., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney F. Hamblen. Mrs. Wolf and Mrs. Hamblen are sisters. Miss Ellen Hovendon of Shenandoah, a niece of Mrs. Hamblen, is also a guest at the Hamblen home.

Hogs Down 15 Cents Today.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Hogs broke fifteen cents today, the top being $19.85.

MIRROR IN CLOUDS

Priceless Telescope Reaches Home on Mount Wilson.

WEIGHS FIVE TONS IN ALL.

Armed Men Watch Over Largest Reflector In World on Way Up—Since Reaching This Country Eight Years Ago It Has Undergone Polishing Process to Make It Perfect.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Accompanied by an armed escort, the priceless concave mirror for the hundred inch reflector telescope was successfully transported from Pasadena to the Mount Wilson observatory. The mirror, which weighs five tons, was taken up the tortuous mountain road on a specially constructed cradle on a truck geared to run two miles an hour.

Because of a report that an effort would be made to wreck the mirror on the steep mountain road special precautions were taken to guard it. Deputy Sheriff P. H. Hayden and Deputy Constable E. L. Rodgers, the one riding ahead and the other behind the truck and each of them armed, composed the guard. The convoy included about 150 persons in thirty motorcars.

The truck with the mirror left the observatory shops in Pasadena at 7 a. m. and arrived at the top of the mountain at 1 p. m. The arrival of the mirror and those who accompanied it was celebrated by a flag ceremony at the observatory. An immense United States flag was draped over the door of the dome which is to be the home of the mirror. When the truck passed inside the building the flag was unfurled across the doorway and the crowd of 200 persons applauded.

The glass disk, which is the object of intense interest in the scientific world, is 101 inches in diameter and thirteen inches thick and weighs 10,000 pounds. It was cast in France and brought to Pasadena eight years ago, since which time it has been subjected to a slow and careful grinding and polishing process. This was under the supervision of Professor G. W. Ritchey.

The framework of the telescope has been built and is ready for the installation of the large mirror and the smaller mirrors which will be used with it. The great apparatus will be ready for use in about three months. It will be the largest telescope in the world, and astronomers declare it will be impossible to make a larger one successfully since the drawbacks increase rapidly as the size and light gathering capacity of the mirrors increase.

The telescope is of the reflecting type, with no light passing through the glass, as in the case of the old style refracting telescopes. The immense concaved mirror, silvered on the lower side, will repose at the bottom of a tube, where it will reflect the image of the heavens to smaller mirrors set diagonally at the upper end of the tube. The observer will get the image from the small mirrors and not the large one. Because of the size and power of the glass it is believed it will open up vast undiscovered areas in the heavens. The enterprise of building the new telescope was inaugurated by Dr. George E. Hale, director of the observatory.

$8,660,480 TO DRAFT ARMY.

Secretary Baker Gives Out Cost From Registration to Enrollment.

Washington.—The cost of drafting America's first great national army—from registration to enrollment—was placed by Secretary Baker at $8,660,480 in his estimates to congress.

This amount includes all overhead expense of registration, examination and selection. It is based on registration of 10,000,000, examination of approximately 5,000,000 and enrollment of 1,187,000.

"On a tentative estimate that the generous system of exemptions and discharges will result in a necessity for examining four registrants to produce one soldier," said Secretary Baker, "it is apparent the system must be capable of examining 5,000,000 men during the year. For this task the organization includes a personnel of more than 18,000 persons."

Ghost Shows Gold.

Roseburg, Ore.—Chen Waung, a Chinese cook of this city, recently found $200 in gold in the house of Hop Lee, who was a victim of the tong wars two years ago. He says that the ghost of his murdered friend directed him to the treasure. The money was found in a paper bag in plain sight of all who entered a room that had never been occupied since the murder. Chen Waung believes that Hop Lee would have killed him if he had not obeyed the ghostly summons.

Hawaiians Beg to Go to Front.

Washington.—Urgent pleas to be sent to France to join the American forces there are being made by 3,000 Hawaiian militiamen, according to J. Kuhio Kalanianaole, the Hawaiian delegate in congress, who is urging favorable action by the war department. The question of food supply enters into the problem, for Hawaii is looked to for furnish much of the United States' sugar and rice needs.

Finds Long Lost Ring.

Princeton, Ind.—Mrs. Allie Slater lost her wedding ring thirty-three years ago at her home south of Princeton. The other day while she was passing through the barn lot there she kicked her foot at a bright object peeping through the ground, and out rolled the lost ring, practically as good as ever She is wearing it again.

Now Is a Good Time To Treat Your Catarrh

Mild weather aid treatment.

Don't be misled into thinking that your Catarrh is gone. The first touch of winter weather will bring it back with all its discomforts.

But this is an excellent time to thoroughly cleanse the blood of the germs of Catarrh, and be forever rid of the troublesome sprays and douches that can never cure you.

S. S. S., the great blood purifier, searches out the germs of Catarrh which infest your blood, and chases them entirely out of your system. It is by far the most satisfactory treatment for the disease, because it reaches down to its very roots and gets at the cause. Write to-day for full information, and expert medical advice regarding the treatment of your own case. Take advantage of this chance to-day. Address Swift Specific Co., Dept. G Atlanta, Ga.

121 MEN FOR MONDAY

(Continued from Page 1.)

713—Earl Wray Booth, Wilcox.
2145—Jesse Lewis Townsend, Clearmont.
1478—Arthur T. Graves, Quitman.
1929—Francis Earl Bluel, Maryville.
935—Loyd Earl Powell, Ravenwood.
2091—William R. Hubbard, Barnard.
1121—Leo Adolph Schieber, Clyde.
1150—Robert Rohmer, Clyde.
450—Chester A. Maurose, Graham.
2244—Hosick Greenup Holmes, Maryville.
1390—Paul William Kuchs, Maryville.
113—Charlie Erwing Timmons, Burlington Junction.
1658—Eugene Joseph Cummins, Maryville.
2084—Alonzo A. Barber, Skidmore.
1472—Ralph Raymond Banner, Burlington Junction.
725 — Herman Sylvanus Mounts, Maryville.
1004—Glen Fitzpatrick, Clearmont.
1975—William F. Barber, Skidmore.
1521—Jesse Chappell, Graham.
156—Harvey Elmer Ring, Barnard.
2222—Lester Holaday, Maryville.
1634—David Milburn Archer, Elmo.
808—Roy Grant Cassel, Hopkins.
1604—Dave K. Seckington, Maryville.
1571—George J. Hickerson, Quitman.
2280—Mahlon S. Hamilton, Skidmore.
780—Charles Wilfong, Skidmore.
1971—George Irvin Workman, Maryville.
1183—Alvin Blair Kingery, Burlington Junction.
2179—Don Gregory Hainey, Arkoe.
267—Herbert Mattox, Graham.
1550—Lester Carl Jasper, Ravenwood.
567—LeRoy Chancellor Pruitt, Elmo
1218—William James Anderson, Conception Junction.
421—Jesse James Gatton, Bolckow.
1700—William S. Zapf, Maitland.
940—Edward Ernest Wolf, Bolckow.
2281—Glen Hutchinson Patterson, Maryville.
1232—Fenmore Conrad Maffitt, Barnard.
1254—David Sebastian Miller, Conception Junction.
169—Omer Perry Fisher, Maryville.
436—Chester A. Wilson, Guilford.
1477—Fred Cole Fleming, Burlington Junction.
396—Alfred Franklin Deardorff, Sheridan.
1633—Alva Marion Burch, Pickering.
989—Elijah Dale Bailey, Burlington Junction.
1702—William Edward Bosch, Pickering.
1204—Elmer Reynolds, Maryville.
2270—George E. Maxwell, Guilford.
1107—Elza E. Crenshaw, Parnell.
1270—Marion Glen Fine, Clearmont.
862—Robert E. Lee, Elmo.
1638—Mathew Farnan, Jr., Conception Junction.
1406—Clyde W. Collins, Skidmore.
257—Floyd Martin Chambers, Hopkins.
1824—Ertle Lester Harrington, Maryville.
1109—Jorge D. Sam Fandy, Guilford.
155—Dale Lincoln Partridge, Maryville.
284 — Edward McClellan Goforth, Barnard.
133—Lucian Cleo Renshaw, Maryville.
807—Simon Leander Damon Cummins, Conception.
867—Robert H. Riley, Parnell.
930—Roy William King, Hopkins.
185—Leo Edward Atherton, Maryville.
1398—Isador Tavel, Hopkins.
265—H. Noble Klaas, Parnell.
2064—Walter Francis Dykes, Guilford.
285—Vern Griffith, Barnard.
1720—James Todd, Maryville.
1785—Joseph Osborn, Barnard.
1313—Joseph Webb Cornell, Maryville.
1602—Ira E. Porter, Skidmore.
1968—Claud Glen Richards, Bolckow.
1119—Stanford Pence, Clearmont.
1864—John William Buford, Arkoe.
1963—Emmet Leland Linville, Skidmore.
1917—Sorenus E. Jensen, Maryville.
1051—Lester O. Reaksecker, Maryville.
560—John Hopkins, Graham.
303—Everett Carmichael, Pickering.
2121—Clarence D. Stein, Skidmore.
563—Ralph D. Logan, Quitman.
211—Milo Comer, Ravenwood.
1435—Philo Hugh Jamison, Clearmont.

THOSE AWFUL CRAMPS

Suggestions that may save Much Suffering

Marysville, Pa.—"For twelve years I suffered with terrible cramps. I would have to stay in bed several days every month. I tried all kinds of remedies and was treated by doctors, but my trouble continued until one day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others. I tried it and now I am never troubled with cramps and feel like a different woman. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly and I am recommending it to my friends who suffer as I did."—Mrs. GEORGE R. NAYLOR, Box 72, Marysville, Pa.

Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.

Write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Only women open and read such letters.

XENIA

Eber Collins returned Monday from his trip to California, having been gone sixty days. He visited in the vicinity of Los Angeles, camping out a part of the time in the mountains with a friend. Mr. Collins has two brothers and two sisters in this part of California and his mother who came home with him. They came by way of Washington and Boise, Idaho, visiting a brother, Howard Collins and family at Sunnyside, Wash, and a sister of Mrs. B. M. Collins at Boise. They took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Russell and Miss Zoe Russell at Denver, Colo.

Mrs. A. D. Walker is visiting her parents at Turley, in the southern part of this state.

G. Downing and James Smith left Monday for a trip to Douglas county, Mo. Mr. Smith has a farm there and Mr. Downing, a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and son, Mark, and Ed Coleman were St. Joseph visitors Sunday.

The M. and D. U. club are well pleased with their canning outfit. They have used it to can beans and tomatoes.

The Xenia Sunday school is prospering with Callie Harmon, a faithful superintendent. There will be preaching next Sunday at the school house by Rev. Rush of Burlington Junction.

Those from this district who enjoyed the Chautauqua at Hopkins were: Olin Pistole, Bunch Coleman and Newt Otis and their families.

The farmers are plowing for two-dollar wheat.

This rain was much needed to fill out the corn.

Bottling Works Wins Case.

The case of the Maryville Bottling Works against Peter Pfeiffer of Conception Junction was tried before Charles Hyslop, justice of the peace yesterday and was won by the plaintiff. The case was over an account. M. G. Tate represented the plaintiff and P. L. Growney the defendant.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Mrs. W. A. Smith and daughters, Ola and Hazel and W. Lee Griffin of Dayton, Ia., were guests last Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Simmons of Parnell.

Mrs. Albert Binter and two children and Loretta Binter, who have been visiting relatives in Maryville, left yesterday morning for Eldorado, Kan., where they will make their home. Mr. Binter has bought a cafe in Eldorado.

Mrs. Matt O'Brien went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

Miss Lela Lane and Mrs. R. L. Ready of Kansas City, are guests of Miss Hildred Hanna of Maryville.

Mrs. Fred Haller of Wilcox was taken to the Mayo Brothers hospital at Rochester, Minn., for treatment.

We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

IRBY & WHITNEY

Time to Re-tire?
(Buy Fisk)
FISK
FISK
NON-SKID TIRES
give you the mileage and the value you should have.
THE thousands and thousands of Fisk Users know there isn't any greater dollar-for-dollar tire value. Join the big family of happy Fisk buyers—learn for yourself that "When you pay more than Fisk prices you pay for something that does not exist."
Fisk Tires For Sale By
Maryville Tire & Rubber Company

Your Working Capital

How much money do you represent? If you earn $600 a year you are a factory with $12,000 capital.

You make $900 per annum and your size is $18,000 working capital. If you are earning $2,500 a year, your ability has a working value of $50,000.

You are as good as a $100,000 municipal bond if you are paid $5,000 for a year's work.

There is this difference, if you die, you have a total loss. Pay yourself the insurance weekly, and we will pay you interest on it.

Farmers Trust Co.
CAPITAL -:- $200,000.00

Consultation Free
Any Time—Any Place

The Kodak Specialist

I have spared no effort to make myself a competent advisor as to the how and why of kodaks. ¶You can learn to operate your kodak by experiment but it costs time and money to do it. ¶I have made it my business to know kodaks. ¶While its out of the ordinary in this day and age of the world to get something for nothing I have something to offer kodak users—and while it's cheap it's worth more than it costs.

CARPENTER, *At The Bee Hive Shoe Store*